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# Tyer Rubber Co. Sold

## *Building To Be Converted To Retail, Office Space*

**Robert E. Finneran**
**Editor, Andover Townsman**

The Tyer Rubber Co. property on Railroad Street, next to the Andover Commons apartment complex, is slated to be converted to retail and office space, with construction scheduled to begin sometime within the year.

George Stern of North Andover, a professional developer who has developed properties throughout New England, acquired the property Tuesday afternoon for a price Stern said was "in excess of $2,000,000.

Tyer Industries Inc., current occupant of the building at 10 Railroad St., is expected to consolidate its operations at other locations, phasing out the Andover operations in the course of the next several months.

The firm recovers rollers for the paper industry.

Stern said that the 58,000-square foot builing will be converted to retail space, which will occupy 37,000 square feet, and office space, which will take up the remaining 18,000 square feet.

The developer said he anticipated no difficulty with zoning regultions and that plans for the building conersion are already underway.

He said he had spoken to Town Manager Kenneth Mahony and is scheduled to meet with the building and planning department. The property is zoned industrial, which is expected to accomodate the proposed use.

The North Andover developer is familiar with Andover, having

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## In Today's Townsman

### Reliving The Past

The Purple Stars Sound, a band of six local young people, thrives on songs from the '60s. One of the lead vocalists describes the band's sound as "colorful music from colorful people."

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### The Sun'll Come Out

Andover Theatre Company's production of the musical *Annie*, about an optimistic orphan and her adventures, opens this weekend at Memorial Hall Auditorium.

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### Santa Claus Visits Andover

The fire department's annual Christmas parade, featuring that jolly old man in the red suit, traversed Main Street last Sunday, to the delight of local children.

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## *State Champions*

**Andover High School's girls' varsity soccer team in Sunday's holiday parade through Main Street. The team tied Agawam for the state title Wednesday, Nov. 25 after seven overtimes. See story, page 66; pictures, page 68.**

## Seifert Criticized

Members of the school committee chastised Superintendent Kenneth Seifert Tuesday night for "running an end around" the committee's authority.

Committeemen claimed Seifert didn't keep them informed about the recently conducted teen drug and alcohol survey.

See story, back page.

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# LWV Plans Holiday Brunch On Wednesday

The Holiday Brunch of the League of Women Voters will be held Wednesday, Dec. 9, at the home of Donna Tingley, 44 Central St.

Members and prospective members are invited to come from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. to enjoy coffee and brunch and brainstorm on national program planning. Those with time limitations are urged to drop in for as much of the fellowship program as possible. Call Julie Stratton, 7 Howell Drive, to offer help with hospitality.

This is the traditional time for the league to decide which issues to study or take action on in the ensuring year. The national LWV board will formulate a proposed 1988-90 program on the basis of these grass-roots recommendations from member leagues across the nation. The League of Women Voters is a non-partisan, political organization seeking to promote an informed citizenry and citizen participation in government.

# Andover Teacher Award Recipient

The Massachusetts Global Education Program, a project of the Winchester Massachusetts Public School, has named M. Patricia Leahy, department chair/seventh grade teacher at Doherty Junior High School, as a recipient of a $500 award for curriculum development in global education.

She qualified for this award by attending a two-week institute this past summer at Old Sturbridge Village entitled "World Regions: The Local Connection." Part of the criteria for selection is based on the teacher's demonstrated ability to improve the global content of the curriculum.

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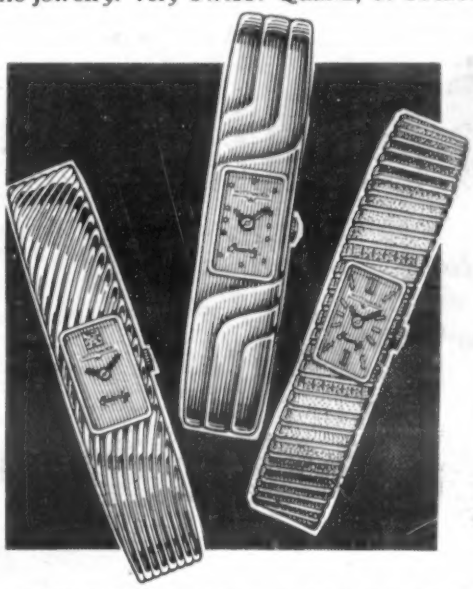

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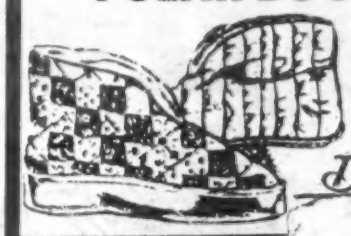

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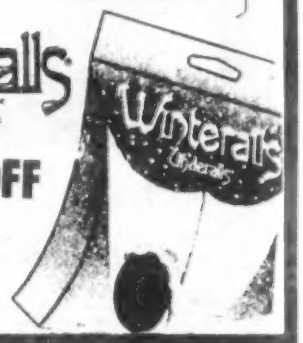

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# Town House Topics

## *Secondary Parents Group Meets*

The Secondary Parents Group will hold its third monthly meeting Wednesday, Dec. 9, at 7:30 p.m. in the School Administration Building. Reports from the five subcommittees formed from parents, teachers and administrators will be given.

The focus of subcommittee A has been on parental priorities, curriculum development, feedback/evaluation and motivating the average student. The topics of subcommittee B have been finance and budget and political action. Subcommittee C has concentrated on the materialism, cross cultural exposure, weekend activities and substance abuse. Subcommittee D has centered its study on community communications and the promotion of schools. Student placement, curriculum information and pupil progress reports have been the subject for subcommittee E.

Contact Andy Salazar for more information.

## *Post Office Extends Hours*

The Andover Post Office is extending its hours. The Main Office will be open until 5 p.m. December 12 and 19. The Shawsheen Village branch will be open until 2 p.m. on those dates to provide ample time for people to do Christmas mailing. The Christmas slogan is "Mail Early" to make sure your gift arrives on time.

## *Warriors Boosters To Meet*

The Andover Warriors final Boosters meeting of the 1987 football year will be held Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 7 p.m. in Room 118 at the high school. Election of officers for the 1988 football year will be held. All sophomore and junior football parents and anyone else interested in the football program are asked to make a special effort to attend.

## *Special Needs ID Cards Available*

The Merrimack Valley Regional Transit Authority, in cooperation with other Massachusetts transit authorities, has announced that a "state-wide special needs transportation identification card" is available to disabled persons that may be travelling to other areas of the state. The purpose of this statewide ID card is to make it possible for eligible disabled persons to utilize the para transit services or fixed route bus service of another regional transit authority at reduced rates when travelling in that particular authority's district.

Individuals with valid MVRTA "Handi-cards" that have been issued within the last year will be issued a statewide special needs ID upon request. Certification forms will have to be completed by others requesting this new card.

The MVRTA is accepting certification requests from interested individuals and a schedule for photo IDs will be set up in the near future. These photos will be taken by appointment only in various locations throughout the district. The charge will be $3 and lost cards will be replaced at a cost of $5.

Disabled persons interested in this service are asked to contact Diana M. Zangari, assistant to the administrator, Merrimack Valley Regional Transit Authority, for forms and/or further information.

## Chairmen

Linde Berger of Beverly Farms and Tina Girdwood of Andover served as chairmen for the eighth annual Mulford Symposium sponsored by the Northeast Region of the Massachusetts Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children (MSPCC).

Berger and Girdwood also serve as co-chairs of MSPCC's northeast regional board of directors.

Robert M. Mulford was the sixth general secretary to serve MSPCC in its 109-year history. He served from 1979 to 1980. The Mulford Symposia are dedicated to his commitment to the well-being of children.

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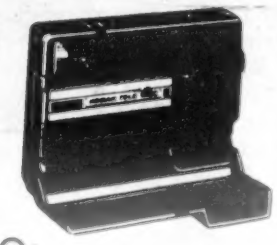
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# POLICE LOG



## Arrests

Tuesday, November 24—Thomas P. Gall, 4 Strawberry Hill Road, Andover on Andover warrant, 2:19 a.m.; Debra J. Williams, 44 Dorchester St., Lawrence, warrant, 2:31 p.m.

Wednesday, November 25—Jay R. Bissampette, 247 Monteville, Chelmsford, Concord warrant, 6:51 p.m.

Thursday, November 26—Nelson Vega, 55 Water St., Lawrence, default of Lawrence warrant, 6:38 a.m.; Edelmiro R. Rivera, 51 Keene St., Lowell, operating a motor vehicle with a suspended license, 2:32 a.m.

Saturday, November 28—John P. Leahy, 20 Tiffany Lane, Andover, suspicion of operating a motor vehicle under the influence, 1:55 a.m.

Sunday, November 29—Glenn M. Cambuors, 154 Presidential Drive, Haverhill, warrant, operating with suspended license, 2:35 a.m.

Monday, November 30—Deborah E. Landers, 277 N. Main Street, Andover, suspicion of forgery, larceny, 11:34 a.m.

## Accidents

Tuesday, November 24—Accident at 57 River Drive, no personal injury, 9:35 a.m.; accident at 1 Lowell Street, 4:31 p.m., no personal injury.

Wednesday, November 25—Accident at 278 Lowell St., ambulance detailed, jaws of life needed, 8:23 a.m.; accident at 2 Elm Street, no personal injury, 1:53 p.m.

Friday, November 27—Accident at 300 High Plain Road, no personal injury, 3:21 p.m.; accident at 11 Belknap Road, no personal injury, 5:50 p.m.

Saturday, November 28—305 N.Main Street, no personal injury, 2:26 p.m.

Monday, November 30—Hit and run accident at 155 Shawsheen Road, 11:50 a.m; accident at 15 Woburn Street, no personal injury, 8:19 p.m.

## Breaks

Saturday, November 28—Housebreak reported at 19 Brown Street, 4:23 p.m.

## Thefts

Wednesday, November 25—Theft of license plate for motor vehicle reported at 5 Tamys Lane, 6:31 a.m.; theft of hubcap reported at 8 Carisbrooke Street, 9:52 a.m.; theft from vocational school, 2:39 p.m.

Saturday, November 28—Theft reported at 104 Bailey Road, 12:18 p.m.

Monday, November 30—Theft of flags reported at the Andover Country Club, 60 Canterbury Street, 1:50 p.m.

## Vandalism

Wednesday, November 25—Vandalism to motor vehicle at 121 Lovejoy Road, 11:55 p.m.

Thursday, November 26—Vandalism to motor vehicle at 7 Dufton Road, 2:46 p.m.;vandalism to motor vehicle at 102 Greenwood Road, 8:24 p.m.

Saturday, November 28—Vandalism to motor vehicle at 12 Woodhaven Drive, 8:16 a.m.; vandalism to motor vehicle at 1 Iroquois Avenue, 12:26 a.m.

Sunday, November 29—Vandalism reported at 85 Showsheen Road, 10:21 a.m.

Monday, November 30—Vandalism to house reported at 50 Beacon Street, 9:25 a.m.

## Stolen Cars

Tuesday, November 24—Stolen car reported taken at Shawsheen Plaza, 205 N. Main Street, 4:12 p.m.

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He is a 1983 graduate of Central Catholic High School and graduated last May with highest distinction from Worcester Polytechnic Institute with a degree in electrical engineering. At Worcester, he was selected to be a member of Tau Beta Pi, the national engineering honor society.

Mr. Veilleux was commissioned through the Naval ROTC unit at Holy Cross College, As a midshipman, he served aboard the USS Callaghan and the USS Daniel Webster, a nuclear powered submarine. He is designated as a submarine warfare officer.

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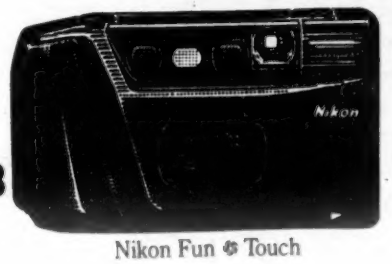

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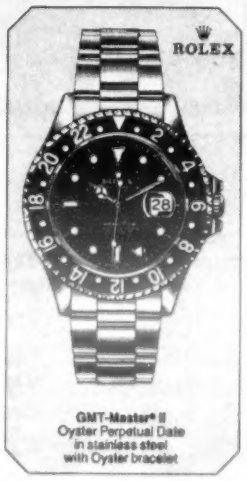


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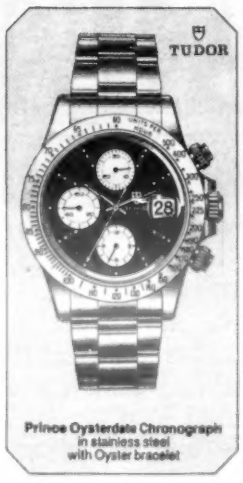


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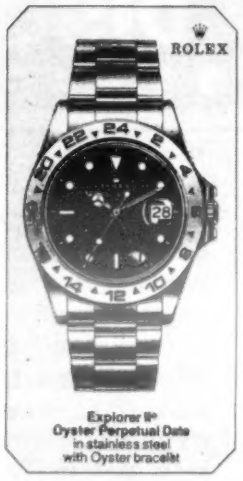


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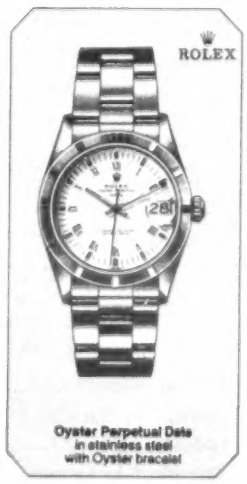


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Adult program director Paul King says that 55 million people walk for fitness and that number is expected to increase to 80 million by 1990.

Nike Walk and Talk is designed for people who enjoy walking and being with people. Y membership is not required. Individuals and entire families may participate. Bring the children (babies in carriages, too).

The program will include monthly "theme" walks, followed by refreshments, a raffle and brief discussion. Participants receive a special gift from Nike for each walk attended and a surprise for those who attend each walk during the six-month program.

The firt meeting will be held Saturday, Dec. 12, at 10:30 a.m. The theme will be Christmas and King says not to be surprised if Santa Claus shows up in his Nikes.

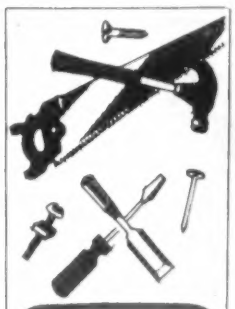
For further information, contact King at the Andover-North Andover YMCA.

## Parents Weekend

Several Andover residents were in attendance at the annual Parents Weekend held at Bradford College recently.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Parker whose son Robert is a junior, Mr. and Mrs. Reynold Martin whoe daughter Jennifer is a freshman, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Driben, parents of Dana, a freshman and Mr. and Mrs. James Dow, parents of David, a senior.

Bradford College is a four-year coeducational institution, and home of the 'Bradford Plan for a Practical Liberal Arts Education.' It has recevied national recognition for its programs, particularly its Humanities program which was cited as the best among Eastern liberal arts colleges.

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Tickets have been reserved for the opening day, Saturday, April 30. The exhibit at the Museum of Science is the only appearance of Ramesses the Great in the northeast.

Ramesses the Great, larger and of more historical significance than the King Tutankamen exhibit, features more than 70 priceless treasures from the reign of Egypt's highly celebrated pharoah, Ramesses II and includes multimedia presentations, demonstrations and hands-on displays. At the completion of the statue's exhibition in the United States, it will be returned to Egypt for permanent display in the Egyptian Museum of Civilization.

Bus will leave at 9:30 a.m. and return at approximately 3:30 p.m. Ticket price includes admission to the museum and to the Ramesses the Great exhibit at 11 a.m. Lunch, not included in ticket price, will be available at the museum's restaurants: the Skyline Cafe, Friendly's Fast Food and the Science Street Cafe. Reservations are being accepted at the Department of Community Services office Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

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# Glass Recycling Important

By Virginia Cole

Recycling glass is still very important to the continued hope to lower the cost and amount of waste trucked to the incinerator in North Andover. Glass doesn't burn and helps to wear out incinerator equipment. To melt glass takes much higher temperatures than is necessary in regular burning, thus more fuel expended. I can't think of any good reason to put household glass out in that plastic bag.

I'm afraid many of you are saying, "We take our glass back to the grocery store. We supported the bottle bill." Fine. But, have you looked at the glass you have that doesn't come with soft drinks or beer. This is the glass we need at the recycling bin in the parking lot of the new Town Offices Building. The bin is there every third Saturday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. If you can get your glass in your car, we will help you get it into the bin.

We take all clear glass; apple juice bottles, mayonnaise jars, jelly jars, pickle and olive bottles, catsup and mustard bottles, canned fruit and sometimes vegetables are preserved in glass, chocolate syrup jars, peanut butter jars. Just look in your cupoard and in the stores; bring home glass containers and, when you have emptied them, put them in grocery bags or boxes and bring them to us once a month.

Now we are into the holiday season, everyone has some wine bottles. Some are clear glass. Good. Put them with the mayonnaise jars; but lots are green and we have room for lots of green glass. All those gallon wine bottles take up pounds of weight in the weekly trash. They can wait in the cellar for one month. We'll be there December 19 and January 16. Hard liquor comes in bottles, too, and we won't count if you bring cases of bottles.

Make a New Year's Resolution a little early. Recycle glass. Once you get the habit of two new bags to store glass, one clear, one green, and a stop by the bin December 19 and January 16 (we'll be there all the other months, too), you can garner that day's quotient of satisfaction. You've done something for your taxes and your town, your environment, the big solid waste problem in Massachusetts and the U.S.A. and you can trade smiles with us, the friendly recyclers.

## Honors

John Duval, of Andover, a senior, attained second honors for the first marking quarter at St. John's Preparatory School, Danvers.

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# Cory Staid To Present Demonstration

Cory Staid, a professional painter, teacher and master technician in the medium of watercolor, will give a demonstration at Reading Art Association's meeting on Wednesday, Dec. 9, at the First Congregational Church, Guild Hall, Sanborn Street, Reading, at 8 p.m.

Staid maintains her studio on the banks of the Kennebunk River in Arundel, Maine, where she lives, paints and conducts workshops. She is the director of the Cory Staid Loft Gallery in Kennebunkport, founded in 1972 for the exhibition of works of several established artists in a variety of media. Staid, a native of Massachusetts and member of New England Watercolor Society, Academic Artists Association, North Shore Arts Association, Concord Art Association and The Copley Society, has won numerous awards.

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# Local Band Finds New Sound In Old Songs

By Melissa M. De Meo

It's not too often that a group of musicians in their teens and early 20s say they're most influenced by '60s music, but The Purple Stars Sound does.

Started a year ago by Mark Santangelo, 23, of Kirkland Drive, who uses the stage name Mark Patrick Page ("because it's easier to say"), The Purple Stars Sound has a sound all its own.

It comes from the band's self-confessed love for music from another era—music by the likes of Jefferson Airplane, the Beatles, Pink Floyd.

"The Beatles broke up in '70. I was 6. Of course I wasn't into these things then," Page said. "But it was a fascinating world."

Page says he prefers that music to '80s songs because it hails from a simpler time. "The MTV scene is very commercialized," he said. "The establishment didn't have time to capitalize on (bands from the '60s)."

Page met Arthur-Russell Brooks, 18, of Lowell Street and Joe Bertolini (alias Joe Ward), 19, of Lowell, who used to live with his parents on Cross Street, through an ad in the paper. Page was trying to put a band together and of the musicians who answered his ad, Brooks and Ward, who had known each other since 10th grade, were the ones who stayed.

Both share Page's musical tastes. "It's all I like," said Brooks, whose favorite band is the Moody Blues. "It's the only kind of music I listen to. I was never into '80s songs. There are some '80s songs that are just good, but not good enough to cover."

Page had a band before, and so did Brooks, who said his previous groups were "on and off with other people, and we weren't all that good."

Page and Brooks do the singing and play lead and rhythm guitar. Ward is the bassist. Matt Persing of Summer Street is their drummer. And newcomers Celeste Sciolla, 17, of Ballardvale and Shorey Walker, 17, of Kenilworth Street do backup singing.

Persing, Sciolla and Walker are newcomers to the band. The Purple Stars Sound recently went through a personnel change: three musicians left the group and were replaced. The music has changed for the better, according to Page. "It's a lot tighter. These people that we have now are more on our wavelength," he said.

The group does a lot of harmonizing, and the voices of Sciolla and Walker give them greater flexibility to do that. The singers often take turns on verses and songs, so everyone gets a spotlight on his or her talents. Ward says his personal liking of the blues shows up in his playing.

They all practice in the basement of Page's house. His parents don't mind, he said, because "things are starting to happen for us."

He's planning on sending demo tapes to Relix magazine, which is dedicated to '60s music, and Marty Balin, formerly of Jefferson Airplane. The Purple Stars Sound most recent gig was at Phillips Academy for an Oxfam America fundraiser, and the band is constantly looking for engagements, whether live or on local media. "We have so many things juggling at once," he said. Any money the band makes gets split among the members, Page said. Hiring a sound man to do wiring at gigs these days costs $185 per engagement. Most of the members hold daytime jobs. Ward, for instance, is a bartender at Le Biftheque. Sciolla and Walker are seniors at Andover High School.

Townsman photo by Jerry Bligh

**The Purple Stars Sound at their recent Phillips Academy concert. From left, Joe Ward, Celeste Sciolla, Matt Persing, Russ Brooks, Mark Patrick Page and Shorey Walker.**

> 'We're a new band; we're doing new music....Kids are eager to hear good music. They may not have heard of bands like Quicksilver or Moby Grape or the Peanut Butter Conspiracy, so it's a first-time thing for a lot of them.'
> Mark Patrick Page

They're all guitar pickers or singers. Sciolla belongs to the high school's choral group.

The members say, despite its age, there's still an appeal for the music they play. "The groups that we're emulating from the word 'go' could never play at weddings," Page said. "But I've heard R.E.M. reviewed as folk rock, and they've made it big."

And that's exactly what The Purple Stars Sound wants to do—make it big. Page has no doubt that they will. "I don't think (the band) will fall apart," he said.

"Can't guarantee anything, but I'd love to try," Ward said.

Page says the band wants to go to California, where there are more opportunities."

Both Brooks and Sciolla lived in the state as children; both would like to return. " All I remember is eating Count Dracula at a big table, but it seems like a great place."

"If something happens, I would definitely stay with the band," Sciolla said.

They know it won't be easy. "Russ put it best when he said, 'It probably wouldn't work if we knew about the competition,'" Page said.

What makes them unique is their style, Sciolla said. "I don't think bands around here play the type of music we do," she said. "They're mostly heavy metal. If we're good enough, we'll make it."

Although most of the band's repertoire consists of covers, they have written more than two dozen original songs, a few of which they try to incorporate in their gigs. They have titles like "Colors in the Sky" and "Loving You Forever."

"We're not dark," Page said. "We seriously believe in this thing—peace love and vibrations. It may sound strange.

"We're a new band; we're doing new music," he added. As for the covers of songs already written, "kids are eager to hear good music. They may not have heard of bands like Quicksilver or Moby Grape or the Peanut Butter Conspiracy, so it's a first-time thing for a lot of them."

Most of the original tunes are Page's. Brooks said he's tried his hand at a few., but "they all came out sounding like 'Louie, Louie.'" And he thinks his more recent songs are "really boring. For now I'm really happy playing the music I love."

The band is more than just your average, run-of-the-mill pop band. "We're all articulate people. We all have something to say," said the 1982 Andover High graduate.

And they love performing. "You get almost a power trip," Ward said.

"On stage, I feel confident," Brooks said.

"I really like the feeling of live shows. Some people go into the studio and put together a record," Page said. "We trying to develop a good live sound first. The most important thing is that each time you play it, you should put something new into it, so it's like a new song every time."

Performing live has its hazards too. "I find it easier to sing without a guitar," Page said. "No matter how good it is, one part of your mind is singing 'Love is all around,' and the other part is

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## Christmas Show By Art Guild

The Andovers Artists Guild invites the public to their annual members Christmas show and sale on December 4 and 5 at the Bank of New England (downstairs), 84 Main St., Andover

The show consists of original drawings, oil and watercolor paintings (some smaller sizes for gifts) and crafts done by local artists.

A reception will be held on Friday, Dec. 4, from 7 p.m. to 9 p.m. Refreshments will be served.

Show hours are from noon to 9 p.m. on Friday and from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday.

Admission is free.

The word church comes from the Greek *kuiakos* meaning belonging to the Lord.

## BABY TALK

*by Jack Resnick*

One problem in the early weeks after birth is when to give a bath. It shouldn't be right after a feeding when it could upset the stomach, or the chance for a good sleep. And it can't be managed when the baby is frantic for a feeding. Wait for a good mood time, after about a week at home, and see how it goes for both of you. At least it will probably make you feel better to have your baby freshly bathed, even if he/she has made strong objections during the process. But maybe not; a lot depends on how adept you are.

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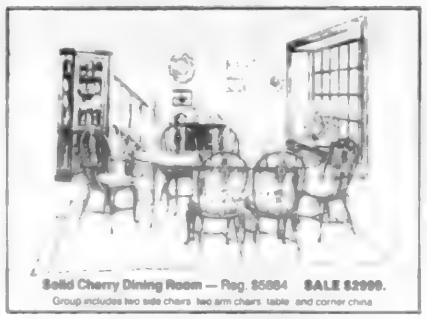

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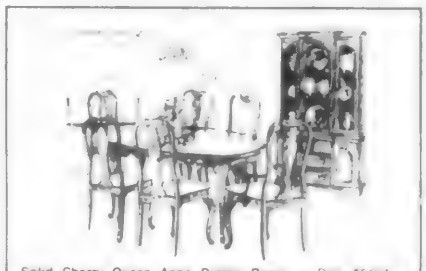

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# Professor Co-edits Book

Dr. Ronald M. McCarthy, assistant professor of sociology at Merrimack College, co-edited and wrote several of the sections in the new book, "Resistance, Politics and the American Struggle for Independence, 1765-1775," published by Lynne Rienner Publishers. Co-editors of the 600-page work are Dr. Walter H. Conser Jr. of the University of North Carolina, Dr. David J. Toscano of the University of Virginia and Dr. Gene Sharp, president of the Albert Einstein Institution and program director of the program on nonviolent sanctions in conflict and defense at Harvard University's Center for International Affairs.

Analyzing in detail the decade of resistance to British colonial rule leading to American independence, McCarthy and the editors demonstrate that deliberate and sophisticated use of nonviolent action, protests, economic boycotts, political noncooperation and other methods, was crucial to the outcome of the independence movement.

"The book illustrates that the people involved in the independence movement from the time of the Stamp Act until the beginning of the Revolutionary War deliberately avoided using violence whenever they could" McCarthy explains. "Today, we would call the demonstrations, economic boycotts and political noncooperation they invented 'nonviolent action,' although, of course, they did not have any such term then. Many of the basic elements of independence and self-government grew during these years in close connection to the essentially nonviolent political struggle. The War of Independence changed the focus somewhat, but much of the groundwork of real indepenedence was there before 1775."

McCarthy holds a bachelor's degree in political science from the University of Massachusetts at Boston and a master's degree in sociology from Boston College. His dissertation for his doctorate in sociology, awarded by Brandeis University in 1983, studied "The Political Economy of Commercial Resistance in Massachusetts, 1765-1775." The author of several papers and journal articles on nonviolent protest and resistance, McCarthy taught at Southeastern Massachusetts University and the University of Lowell before joining the Merrimack faculty in 1979. He is currently on a two-year leave from Merrimack to serve as a visiting scholar in the program on nonviolent sanctions in conflict and defense at Harvard's Center for International Affairs.

## Honors

Mark Chantland, an eighth grader at Andover West Junior High School achieved honor list status for the first marking period.

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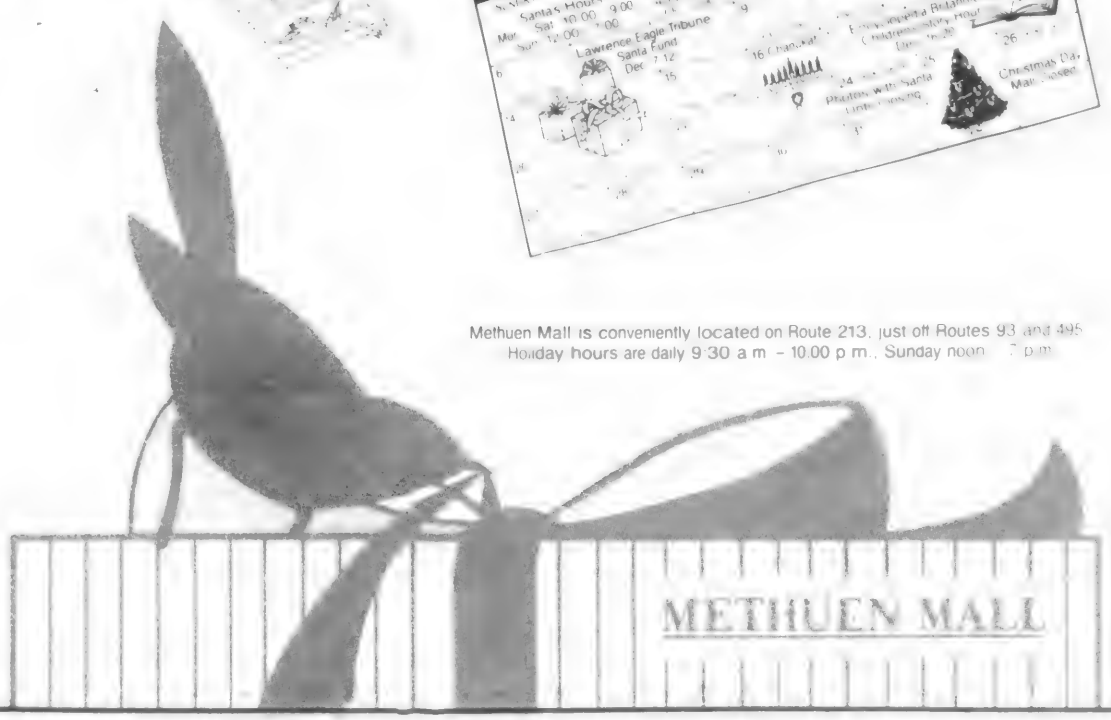

# Peacemaker Photos On Exhibit

In response to author Jonathan Schell's admonition that we all "stop business as usual' until the impending nuclear holocaust "is brought under control," photographer Arthur Dahl presents Making Peace, a collection of photographs and interviews with peacemakers in the United States. The exhibit begins a statewide tour at Lawrence Heritage State Park on December 3 and continues through January 3.

Making Peace is a project begun in 1982 by Chicago-based photograppher Dahl. His journey of nine months took him more than 30,000 miles, through 38 states to the four corners of the country. Once completed, approximately 200 persons from all walks of life were photographed and interviewed.

Dahl states, "My main focus was on personal transformation, how people awaken and what they do next. The concerns expressed ranged from doing something good for their body, to growing in greater harmony with the universe, to achieving total disarmament."

He adds, "Early on, I formulated two self-imposed rules: one, I wouldn't concern myself with 'peace professionals' or members of the clergy because, prima facie, peace is their business; and two, I would stay clear of notable, famous people, preferring instead to go to the grassroots."

The result is an exhibit consisting of 60 black-and-white photographs and 12 text panels. Each photograph has imprinted on its mat information identifying the person, their home and occupation. Portions of interviews with each peacemaker accompany the photographs on text panels.

Making Peace is sponsored by the Massachusetts Department of Environmental Management through the Heritage State Park program. Lawrence Heritage State Park, located at the corner of Jackson and Canal Streets, Lawrence, is open Tuesday through Sunday from 9 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. and Thursdays until 9 p.m.

## On Dean's List

Peter D. Guschov, 3 Lovejoy Road, Andover, a building construction technology major, has been named to the Dean's List at Wentworth Institute of Technology for the second semester.

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The Andover Committee of the Appalachian Mountain Club invites the public to participate in a special event Sunday, Dec. 13. A walk through the Purdon Reservation will end at Rogers Dell for a tree-trimming party and the dedication of a bronze plaque to the memory of Louise van Everen.

Van Everen's longtime devotion to the outdoors bore many fruits, including the formation of the Andover Committee of the AMC and the restoration of Rogers Dell from a dump site to a well-maintained picnic ground. Participants are asked to bring an all-weather ornament to place on the tree in the dell.

Meet in the South Church parking lot on Central Street at 1:30 p.m. Hot drinks will be served in Rogers Dell. For more information, call Barbara Coffman.

## Collecting Bottles

St. Robert Bellarmine Parish Youth Group is collecting donations of returnable bottles and cans throughout December. Donations may be deposited in a trailer in front of the church at 198 Haggett's Pond Road, Andover. Large donations of bottles and cans will be picked up by calling St. Robert's Rectory.

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The Essex North Chamber of Commerce and Industry is throwing a Christmas party in Newburyport in the spirit of Charles Dickens.

Everyone's invited to "The Magic of Christmas Present" Friday, Dec. 4 from 6 to 9 p.m.

Free punch and hors d'oeuvres will be served in Newburyport shops that are filled with gift-giving ideas.

Santa has taken up residence in his workshop in front of the old firehouse. Carolers will sing around the 30-foot Christmas tree in Market Square, and brass bands will play traditional holiday music.

Old English street lamps in historic Newburyport are decorated with holiday wreaths.

The party makes a great outing for the younger members of the family as well.

So if you're having trouble getting into the Christmas spirit, "The Magic of Christmas Present" in downtown Newburyport will soften the heart of the hardest Scrooge.

## Crafters

The Crafter's LTD meeting will be held December 7 at the Adams Library in Chelmsford at 7:30 p.m.

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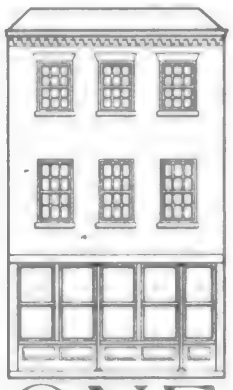

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American Cancer Society volunteers raised a record $5,433,537 during 1987 to support the society's Massachusetts programs of research, education and service to cancer patients and their families for the upcoming year, it was announced by Francis L. Coolidge, Esq., chairman of the Massachusetts Division Board of Directors. This represents an increase of $242,151 over 1986.

Funds were raised through special events such as Daffodil Days and Jail and Bail, the neighborhood residential crusade in April, memorial contributions and special gifts. An additional $2,287,355 was raised through legacies, bequests and planned gifts. The Massachusetts Division Board of Directors, comprised of 54 medical and lay volunteers, will determine how the funds are allocated. Priority projects include cancer prevention initiatives, information and guidance for cancer patients and their families, public education efforts in breast cancer and mammography and continued support of innovative cancer research, Coolidge said.

A total of $8.4 million in national American Cancer Society grants supported cancer research in Massachusetts in 1987, almost twice the amount raised by the society here. The society's Massachusetts division devotes 84 percent of its budget to program services with 16 percent going toward management and fundraising.

For a copy of the Massachusetts Division annual report, contact local offices of the society or call the Massachusetts Division's headquarters in Boston.

# Accountants To Meet Wednesday

The Merrimack Valley Chapter of the National Association of Accountants will hold its monthly technical meeting at Bishop's Restaurant, Lawrence, on Wednesday, Dec. 9, at 6 p.m. Dr. Rudolph Winston, director of the Small Business Development Center at the University of Lowell, will speak on "Entrepreneurship."

Winston is also an associate professor in the College of Management Science with teaching and research interests in entrepreneurship and organizational behavior. He is a graduate of Harvard and has taught at the Harvard Business School.

For further information, contact Marjorie Zabierek in Andover.


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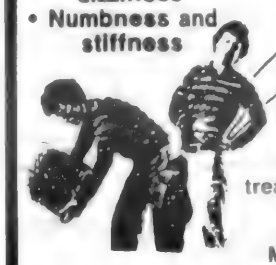

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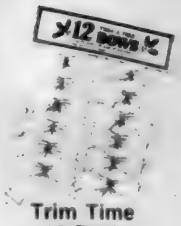

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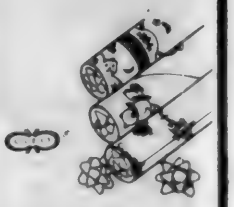

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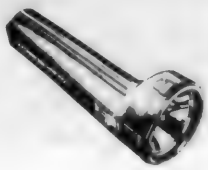

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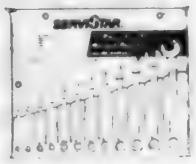

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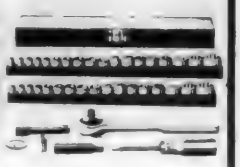

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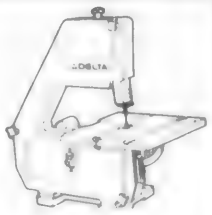

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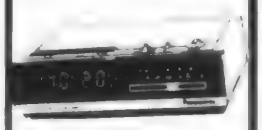

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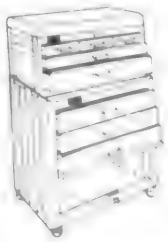

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The evening included entertainment by the employees and a 'roast'' of Dr. Howard Gardner, medical director. He was presented a brass mantel clock to commemorate the occasion. Gardner lives on Alden Road.

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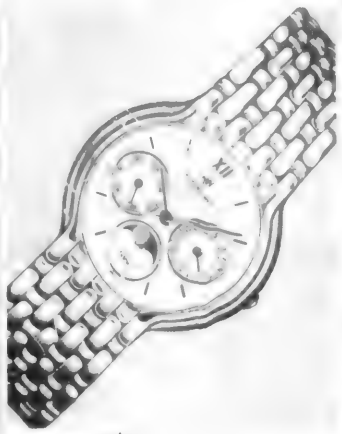

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## *Learning CPR*

**Cardiopulmonary resuscitation instructor Tom McPherson observes the techniques of husband-and-wife team Cathy and Rick DiCecca as they practice on Annie, the CPR dummy. Mr. DiCecca is a letter carrier at the Andover Post Office, which sponsored the CPR course at town hall recently. Postal officials thought it would be a good idea for letter carriers to know CPR since they're so readily available in the community.**

### At Barnard

Two Andover natives have entered the Class of 1991 at Barnard College in New York: Marcella Eckels, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James M. Eckels, and Joni Finegold, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael G. Finegold.

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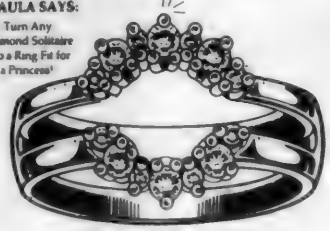

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# Lallys Graduate At Marine Recruit Camp

PFC Dana Lally and his sister, Pvt. Patricia Lally, are recent graduates of Marine Corps Recruit Depot, Parris Island, S.C.

They are the children of John and Josephine Lally, 53 Harold Parker Road.

They will be reporting to Naval Air Station in Memphis Nillington, Tenn., to attend a formal school in the aviation field.

Dana graduated from Citizen's High School in Atlanta, Ga., in August and from boot camp November 19. Patricia graduated from Andover High School in May and from boot camp last month.

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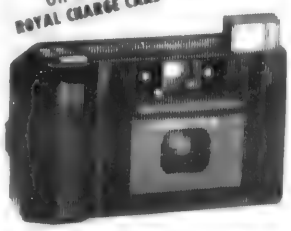

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For further information, call John Zipeto at 475-7844.

The younger members of the cast line up for a number.

Producer John Zipeto doubles as Franklin D. Roosevelt in the musical. Annie, played by Bridget Mason, greets him.

James J. Girgenti, director and choreographer, watches a rehearsal of *Annie*.

Townsman photos by Jerry Bligh

"Orphans" Maura Collins and Eileen Katis clown around.

Maureen Brackett plays Miss Hannigan in the show.

Harpo gets a hug from Bridget Mason.

# A Play's Best Friend

Andover Theatre Company's upcoming production of *Annie* has one member of its cast who appears to have been destined to play the part. He is a large, friendly dog of unknown parentage owned by Paulette Jiles, writer-in-residence at Phillips Academy.

Harpo almost did not arrive in Andover at all. And then, when discovered by the theater group, he was lost, not once but twice. Harpo, who is two-years-old, ws born in British Columbia in western Canada. Shortly after Jiles agreed to take a position at Phillips, Harpo decided to take a walk in the woods of British Columbia. he was gone for 10 days before emerging, scruffy and hungry. His happy mistress finished packing and, with Harpo, flew to New England.

Harpo quickly adapted and began accompanying Jiles to classes. He became a familiar sight and could be seen chasing squirrels, his favorite activity.

Meanwhile, all members of the Andover Theatre Company were on the lookout for a dog that could play Sandy. Bridget Mason, who has the starring role of Annie, noticed Jiles and Harpo walking along Main Street in downtown Andover one afternoon. She immediately thought the dog would be perfect as Sandy and told Jiles that he had "wicked big brown eyes and looked like Sandy is supposed to." Jiles said that Harpo might be able to play the part and besides, she "always wanted to be a 'stage mom'."

Bridget wrote down Jiles's phone number and promised that the producer of the show would contact her. However, in the hubbub of school, rehearsals, studying, etc., the number was lost. A few days later, Sharon Hill, costume coordinator for the show, was driving on Main Wtreet and saw Jiles walking with Harpo. She stopped her car and asked Jiles if she would consider having the dog play Sandy. Jiles explained that a girl had asked her the same question a few days before and that she had given the girl her name and phone number. So, Hill drove off without any information, thinking the producer already had Jiles' name.

Since no one knew where to find Harpo, it appeared that the opportunity to fill Sandy's role was lost forever. Rehearsals had started and plans to write the role of Sandy out of the script were discussed. But, fate was to step in once again. One day Hill looked up from her desk at the treasurer's office at Phillips Academy to see Harpo, accompanied by Jiles, walk through the door. This time he did not get away.

Harpo started attending rehearsals and has become accustomed to his role of sitting up, lying down on cue and walking on stage at the right times. His calm attitude makes him a perfect Sandy. When the cast sings the rowdy song, "Hard Knock Life," and bang and throw the wash buckets, Harpo "doesn't lose his cool," according to Bridget. He is accustomed to hearing applause since he accompanies Jiles to public readings of her writings.

Harpo is expected to excel in his role. After all the problems getting him on stage, he is destined to be a star.

# New Community Theatre Forms

A new community theater is opeing in response to growing community interest in a theatre group for young people. The Merrimack Junior Theatre, under the auspices of the Andover Department of Community Services, announces the beginning of its first season in Andover. The new theatre group is dedicated to providing area children with a constructive and creative outlet for their leisure time. By participating in all aspects of theatre, children will develop an appreciation of fine arts and learn critical life skills.

MJT's artistic director and founder is Josie Walker who is known throughout the Merrimack Valley for her love of children and her theatrical and musical expertise. Her supporting cast on the executive board includes Corinne Gediman, president; Anne Sullivan, vice president; and Linda Zimmerman, treasurer.

MJT is beginning its 1988 season with the March production of "Tumbleweeds," a take-off on the newspaper comic strip of the same name. It includes such unforgettable characters as Clementine Greedy, the villainess; Snake-eye McFoul, the villain; Prudence Lovely, the heroine; and, of course, Tumbleweeds, the hero. The production is open to children in grades four through eight. The 1988 fall production will be for junior high school children and the 1989 spring production for elementary school children. MJT hopes to produce at least two musicals a year, one for elementary school children and one for junior high school children.

Since the Merrimack Junior Theatre is a cooperative effort of parents and young people, any parents who would like to donate their time and talent to the production of this season's musical should contact Corinne Gediman or Josie Walker.

There is always a need for adults to help with set design and construction, lighting, costumes, publicity, tickets sales, etc. Young people interested in the technical aspects of theatre are encouraged to join the production staff.

Legend tells how a real St. Nicholas, a fourth century bishop in Turkey, gave a bag of gold as a dowry to each daughter of an impoverished nobleman. To remain anonymous, he would throw each bag through a window. By chance one fell into a stocking hung near the chimney. Discovered as the benefactor, Nicholas became known as the secret giver of gifts.

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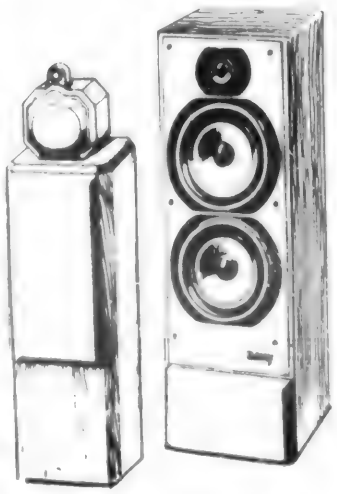

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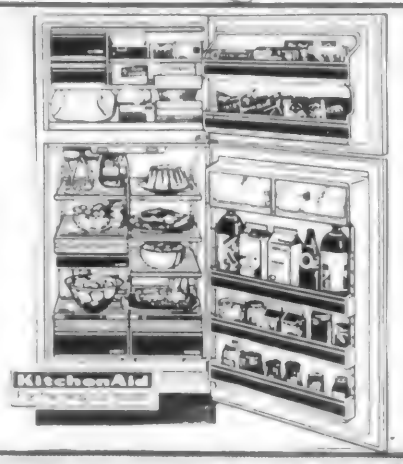


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## Andover Theatre Company

Auditions for Andover Theatre Company's production of "Don't Drink the Water" by Woody Allen are scheduled for Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 15 and 16, at 7 p.m. in Memorial Hall Auditorium (behind Town Hall) on Bartlet Street in Andover. The play requires 10 men and four women. Prepared monologues are preferred; however, audition material will be available. Ron Wackowski will direct. For further information, call him. Play dates are scheduled for the last weekend of February and the first weekend of March.

## Merrimack Junior Theatre

Auditions for Merrimack Junior Theatre's March musical, "Tumbleweeds," will be held December 8 and 9 from 6 p.m. to 9 p.m. in the West Elementary School auditorium. Auditions are open to boys and girls in grades four through eight. This musical comedy features a cast of cowboys, Indians, hanging judges, thieves and school girls under the direction of Josie Walker who has directed some of the company's most successful children's productions. The Merrimack Junior Theatre functions in conjunction with the Andover Department of Community Services.

Rehearsals begin in January and are scheduled for Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. Extra rehearsals for lead characters may be scheduled at the discretion of the director on Thursday evenings. Productions will be held in the evening on March 25 and 26 and a matinee on March 27.

Young people who plan to audition should be prepared to act out a simple poem or short monologue and sing a few bars from "America" ("My Country 'Tis of Thee"). They should bring a recent snapshot of themselves which they do not need returned. Approximately 50 actors and actresses are needed.

Since the Merrimack Junior Theatre is a cooperative effort of parents and young people, parents should consider ways they might help with the production. Adults are needed to help with set design and construction, lighting, costumes, publicity, ticket sales, etc. Older children interested in helping backstage are encouraged to come to the audtions and express their interest.

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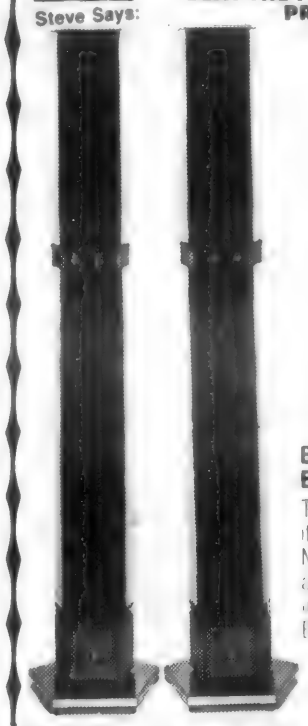

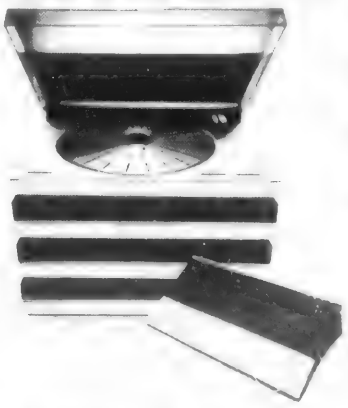

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## Ballet Refurbished

For the 1987 Boston Ballet's production of *The Nutcracker*, Associate Director Bruce Wells and Artistic Director Bruce Marks will choreograph several new divertissements.

Franz, the Dancing Bear, will highlight the cast of fantastic automatons Dr. Drosselmeyer brings to the Christmas Eve party at the Silberhaus home. The creation of Franz comes from a long-standing tradition of performing bears. The bear is sponsored by Filene's.

"Since arriving in Boston I have wanted to include a bear in *The Nutcracker*," said Marks. "It was a part of the first Nutcracker done in America by my mentor, Willam Christenson. It seems so appropriate that Filene's and Feelix should have been the inspiration for restoring this character to what is a holiday tradition."

In Act II, Wells will create new dances for the Tea and Flowers. A main pas de deux couple in the Tea di-

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# Beau Geste

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Beau Gest selects material to fit the specific needs of each sponsor. The fast-paced show is presented in sketch format and geared to general audiences of all age, a family show with enough style to satisfy the most critical art lover and enough movement to dazzle the youngest audience.

Five talented actors comprise the Beau Gest ensemble. The show is recommended for children at least three years old. Tickets may be obtained by writing Kaleidoscope, Box 506, Andover, MA 01810.

This event, part of Kaleidoscope's seventh annual winter performance series for children, is funded in part by a grant from the Raytheon Company, the National Endowment for the Arts and the Mass. Council on the Arts and Humanities, through the New England Foundation for the Arts. The series is presented by Kaleidoscope in cooperation with the Andover Department of Community Services.

# Storyteller Entertains College

Patty Larkin, one of the most well-known acoustic songwriters and storytellers of the '80s, will perform a free concert Thursday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. in the Student Center Lounge on the Haverhill campus as part of Northern Essex Community College's After Hours Cafe Series.

Larkin is gaining national acclaim through the release of her second album, "I'm Fine," on Philo-Brownstone records. She is a two-time winner of the Boston Music Awards—best folk act and best folk album—and is acknowledged as one of the finest contemporary performers and musicians of this decade. Larkin was born in Iowa and raised in Milwaukee, Wisc., where she grew up with a tradition of family musicians. She studied classical piano starting at age eight and picked up guitar four years later. She started writing songs at 14, influenced by writers such as Paul Simon and Bob Dylan.

Larkin attended college in Oregon, concentrating on literature. She played in coffeehouses and became committed to studying and performing music. She began studying at the Berklee College of Music and has lived in Boston ever since.

While teaching guitar, she also spent ten years playing jazz, rock, rhythm and blues and, finally, urban folk. In 1981 she decided to focus on acoustic guitar.

The "After Hours Cafe Series" features top New England performers in a cafe setting and is sponsored by Student Activities and the Alumni Association.

## Ballet

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vertissement will be joined by several young dancers. The Flowers'section, which features the Dew Drop Fairy, will be restaged. An athletic Russian divertissement danced by the corps men with a featured male soloist will be choreographed by Marks.

*The Nutcracker* will be performed at The Wang Center, 270 Tremont St., Boston December 3-January 3. Tickets are available by calling TICKETMASTER or in person at the Wang box office, Monday through Saturday from 10 am. to 6 p.m.

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# Orchestra Readies For Concert

The Merrimack Valley Philharmonic Orchestra will present the fifth annual concert of music for the Christmas holidays at Saint Lucy's Roman Catholic Church, 254 Merrimack St., Methuen, on Sunday, Dec. 13, at 3 p.m.

The philharmonic numbers more than 70 players. The music selected for this year's program spans some 300 years of composing and is familiar literature. At their early November concert at Sacred Heart Church in Lawrence, Gilbert McFarland, a nationally respected church music leader, stated, "Why go to Boston when you have an orchestra of this quality right in your backyard!"

The contemporary american "pops" composer and arranger, Leroy Anderson, will be well represented with his "Sleigh Ride" and "The Bugler's Holiday," featuring trumpeters Joseph Buckley, James Goodwin and Stanley Baptista. Katherine Davis, another popular American composer, will be represented by her "Carol of the Drum." Violinist Alison Yankowskas will be featured in the "Winter" movement of Vivaldi's "The Four Seasons" and flutist Susan Thorne will be the soloist for Ralph Vaughan Williams "Fantasia on Greensleeves." The orchestra will also play the "Dance of the Sugar Plum Fairy" from the 'Nutcracker."

Several medleys of holiday music will be performed by the Lancaster Brass Quinetet. Made up of first chair members of the Merrimack Valley Philharmonic, this widely acclaimed ensemble has been heard throughout the valley and Boston.

The closing work of this festival of music is Anderson's "Christmas Festival," a collection of traditional Christmas music which includes a sing-a-long for the audience.

Tickets are available at the door.

# Chorale In Concert

The Greater Merrimack Valley Chorale will perform two major chorale works on Sunday, Dec. 13, at St. Mary's Church in Lawrence at 3 p.m. The concert will feature Francis Poulenc's "Gloria" and J.S Bach's "Cantata No. 191" ("Gloria in Excelsis"). The Poulenc "Gloria," being performed for the first time in the area, will feature a full orchestra and soprano soloist Sara Phelps.

The 50-membr group, now in its 11th year, is comprised of singers from Andover, Lawrence and other Merrimack Valley communities. Past concerts have included works by Vivaldi, Mozart and Haydn at various locations, including the Methuen Memorial Music Hall.

Dave Tierney is in his fourth season as music director of the group. This season marks his first exposure with the group into 20th-century music. He is also the music director of the Waltham Community Chorus, the Waltham Philharmonic and artistic director of the Waltham Theatre Workshop. Tierney has taught at Becker Junior College and the University of Lowell and is currently on the faculty of Chapel Hill-Chauncey Hall School in Waltham and Boston College. He is music director and organist at St. Mary's Church in Waltham and a frequent recitalist in the Boston area.

Hot rum toddies and eggnog are traditional Yuletide "warmers" in America. In Yorkshire, England, people "sup" ale possets for luck . . .they're a mixture of warm milk, ale, beer and wine, often quite heavily spiced.

# Pascucci Featured In Concert

Berklee College of Music junior trumpeter David Pascussi, son of Ben and Alice Pascussi of Andover, is a member of Buddy Rich Student Big Band, led by faculty member Wayne Naus, which will give a concert in the Berklee Recital Hall Dec. 8 at 4 p.m.

Pascucci is majoring in performance.

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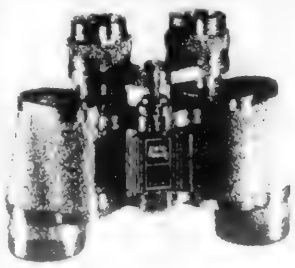
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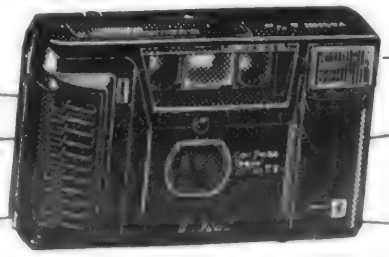
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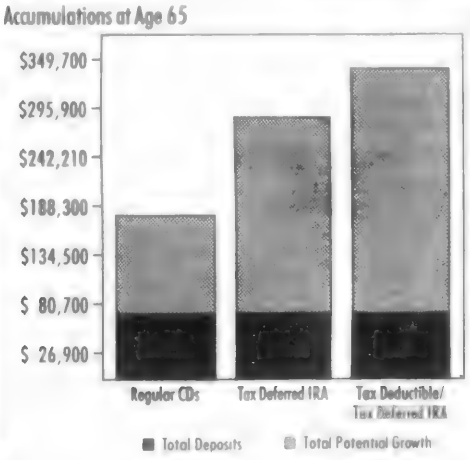


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# Christmas Concert At South

"ChristmasFolk," an evening of folk music, carols and storytelling celebrating the Christmas season, will be held Dec. 5 at 7:30 p.m. at South Church in Andover.

South Church Choir, Handbells and Brass Ensemble will participate and storytellers will present Christmas folk tales from Russia, France and Scandanavia.

The concept of "ChristmasFolk" came to folksinger Ed Parker last year when the South Church Performing Arts Committee asked him to organize the annual South Church Christmas concert. Having been involved with folk music for more than 20 years, he had collected a large repertory of Christmas songs from a variety of folk traditions, but had never performed more than one or two every Christmas. As an illustrator of children's literature, Parker is familiar with a number of Christmas folk stories. Thus, the idea of combining the two folk traditions of music and story into a Christmas concert was born.

As Parker explains, "when you look at the rich Christmas folk traditions in story and song from diverse cultures all over the world, you quickly realize that friends, family groups and whole communities traditionally entertained each other during the Christmas season. Everyone shared in the stories and songs, a kind of gift to each other, a celebration of traditions that brought them closer together. Today we don't celebrate in these ways. Instead we rush through the season listening to Christmas carols piped into department stores and watch the Smurfs tell Christmas stories on television. Last year's "ChristmasFolk" concert broght friends and families togeter to sing carols and listen to Christmas stories. The reaction was very positive and we hope even more people will have the opportunity to come this year."

Parker has been involved with folk music since the 1960s, during what he calls "the great folk music scare." He was encouraged by Keith Gould, his Andover High School music teacher, and was soon performing in local coffee houses with a friend, known as "The Carpet Baggers." During his college years in Boston at the Massachusetts College of Art, Parker became involved in the thriving folk/coffee house scene performing at folk clubs, including The Odessy Club 47, in and around Boston and at schools and colleges throughout New England. While pursuing a career as a successful freelance illustrator, he has continued an active interest in folk music, organizing and performing in concerts for churches, schools and civic organizations.

Joining in "Christmas Folk" will be Sally Kidd. Of a traditional Spanish background, she is fully bilingual and has sung in Spanish and English for more than 20 years. Kidd has sung with "Up With People" in Puerto Rico for four years and performed modern gospel and religious folk music for 12 years. She has recorded with several groups, performed with their brother and sister as a religious trio for Campus Crusade for Christ and has been part of several choirs in New England and Puerto Rico. Her work in recent years has concentrated on solo singing, mostly in churches. Her most recent work has been a part in "Godspell" at South Church in the spring of 1987

## Christmas Concert

A Christmas treat of sleigh bells, Javanese chimes, tubular harp, sheep bells and cow bells will be presented by the Presbyterian Performing Arts Series in Sidon Hall, 96 East Haverhill St., Lawrence, on Sunday, Dec. 13, at 3 p.m.

Christmas music with carol singing and "hands-on" playing of bells will be performed by Lillian Davis of Newton.

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"Particularly Poor Albert" will be shown the week of Decembr 7-10. This safety dramatization presents the various events which culminate in a fatal accident by a forklift operator.

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Students at Sanborn School's Harvest Festival. The kids collected food and plants for the town's older residents.

# Sanborn School Conducts Annual Harvest Festival

Sanborn School students conducted their ninth annual Harvest Festival November 19 and 20 by collecting canned goods, fresh fruits and vegetables, plants and home-baked items that were placed in decorated boxes and delivered to the elderly for Thanksgiving.

Under the supervision of parent volunteers and faculty members, 93 boxes were filled by the fifth graders after a Thanksgiving assembly was held on Thursday, attended by Superintendent of Schools Kenneth Seifert, other town officials and some elderly Andover residents. The sixth graders, transported by two buses and nine cars, delivered the boxes on Friday and made a stop at the senior citizen center to greet the elderly.

The idea for the Harvest Festival came from former music teacher Mary Guziejka, who observed one while in England where the festival is a traditional event.

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## Fall Awards Ceremony Tuesday

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## High School Holly Ball Saturday

Members of the Andover High School student body will usher in the holiday season at the second annual Holly Ball on Saturday, Dec. 5, at St. Robert's Parish Hall. Last year's holiday semiformal was a tremendous success and this year's has snowballed into an even bigger event. The evening will feature deejay Frankie Licata. Participants will wear corsages and boutonnieres of carnations and sprigs of holly.

The dance will begin at 7:30 p.m. and include a buffet dinner of Chinese food. The sophomore class and their adviser, Vern Friese, have worked with the Andover Jade to provide a tempting buffet of spare ribs, teriyaki, fried rice and chicken wings. The Pepsi Cola Company has donated soft drinks.

The junior class planned and coordinated the decorations which will include candy cane trees, evergreen garlands, centerpieces, colored lights and many red and green bows. The senior class will handle the tickets sales. Tickets will not be sold at the door.

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Volunteer Jane Peterson of Andover and Yumiko Kano of Melrose, standing, show 10-year-olds Ellen Fantini and Amand Firicano, Sanborn School students, the Japanese art of origami—paper folding.

# Japanese Intern Shares Experiences With Students

Calligraphy, origami, Japanese life style and the abacus are some of the learning experiences students and staff at Sanborn School have been taught by their Japanese intern, Tomoko Hori. Hori came to Sanborn in September through the S.P.I. and Japanese School Internship Program, directed by Yoshikozu Iheda of Tokyo, Japan. Her host family is Joyce and Dee Ringleb of Andover.

The Sanborn children have learned that the culture and lifestyles of Japan are different from theirs, but there are some similarities. Children of Japan are just as fond of American fast food and Western music as their American counterparts.

Principal Eileen Woods said recent research on socialization of children suggests the earlier the study of other cultures and nations begins, the more effective it is. Younger children are sensitive and open, have better attitudes and are ready to develop a broad perspective. The children celebratd a Japanese festival of activities on Monday, Nov. 30.

Every child listened to the master storyteller, Li Min Mo, weave her tale through diverse cultural mores, ethnic festivals, art motifs and other threads that link stories and people all over the world. The children watched a Japanese theater/folk dance demonstration, participated in a karate demonstration and ate popcorn with chopsticks. They then engaged in two activites of their choice, including mask making, ikebana, kites, carp streamers, origami, helicopter, folding fan making, cooking and T-shirts.

The festival provided hands-on learning experiences and allowed students of all grade levels to mix in small groups.

Woods said the festival played a significant role in humanizing the school and providing options for students through the enrichment of the basic curriculum.

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Each child will visit Santa Claus and present him with the "wish list." Santa will surprise them with a special handmade favor to decorate their Christmas trees.

The festivities will close with a holiday sing-a-long and a raffle featuring handmade items and restaurant gift certificates.

This event is under the direction of chairmen Earlene Castignetti, Lynda Murray and Liz Mongeau.

## Students Of Month Chosen

St. Augustine School has announed its students of the month for October. The following students were selected by the faculty on the basis of attitude, achievement and Christian fellowship:

**Kindergarten:** Richard O'Connell, Lindsey Marcinuk, Linda Selima, Alex Tripi;

**Grade 1:** Peter MacLeoad, Joey Sakakeeny.

**Grade 2:** Karen Burke, Christopher Clark, Caitlin Marino, Bruce Sweet.

**Grade 3:** Matthew Corbin, Laura Selima, Amy Walsh.

**Grade 4:** Sheila Arvikar, Andrew Houston, Joseph Long;

**Grade 5:** Melissa Ciaccia, Jodi Lepore;

**Grade 6:** Marie Delaney, Stephanie Desruisseau, Ryan Lynch;

**Grade 7:** Leslie Campion, Patricia Lopez;

**Grade 8:** Shad Flaig, Patrick Hegarty.

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# Honor Roll At Doherty Junior High

The honor roll for the first term at Doherty Junior High School, as announced by Principal Richard F. McGrail:

## Grade 7

### *High Honors*

Sefany Andreadis, David Bernstein, Craig Black, Andrew Brown, Amy Cassidy, Julie Choe, Sarah Dziadul, James Eckels, Johnny Faldetta, Kevin Foltz, Kara Gack, Andre Koerckel, Kevin Lane, Amy Laplante, Candice Mahala, Jennifer Neal, Andrew Novelline, Kara O'Handley, Samuel Pfeifle, Sajini Shetty, Alyssa Jane Sonntag, Michael Tung, Sarah Wallace, Cindy Weener, Tara Wrobel.

### *Honors*

Ryan Abernathy, Glenn Aeder, Venu Channamasetty, Matthew Chapin, Elana Climo, Rebecca Crispo, Wendy Darling, Julie Doherty, Eric Fox, Marcia Gemmell, Kimberly Germain, Holly Grabowski, Kerry Hagerty, Liz Han, Katie Hansberry, Rejji Hayes, Scott Henry, Hila Horovitz, Melissa Infurna, Ashley Keeseckerz Forget, Jennifer Kinsky, Elizabeth Lee, Jennifer Lejman, Stephen McNulty, Frank Morris, Douglas Nieh, Kirsten Nowell, Peter O'Leary, Steven Paquette, Lisa Perdigao, Edwin Gus Qattlebaum, Erik Ralston, Hilry Recesso, Karen Rock, Amy Rollfs, Bejamin Russell, Tamara Smith, Lindsey Sweeney, Tanya Tamarkin, Lori Anne Taylor, Sarah Tully, Marisa Uchin, Bert Vining, Sarah Witham, Daniel Wrigley.

## Grade 8

### *High Honors*

Eric Behling, Lorien Buehler, Jesse Ciccone, Gregory Debeer, Rebecca Malakoff, Holly Parker, Kim Prentiss, Matthew Radack, Alaina Schroeder, Allen Soong, Erika Ann Vowinckel, Laura Williams.

### *Honors*

Jennifer Ashlock, Tyrin Avery, Linnea Basu, Virginia Blais, Michael Bor, Karen Brocklesby, Julie Connor, Stephen Corbett, Emily Curtiss, Julie Cutler, Matthew Dahlgren, James Damon, Patti Darwin, Marcus Deloach, Elisabeth Derby, Sarah Faraci, Daniel Feeley, Adam Galaburda, Emily Girdwood, Timothy Grogean, Duncan Harris, Matthew Harris, Amy Heseltine, Christophr Kyle, Matthew Lastrina, Justin Lattanzio, Jennifer Lewis, Tyler Maheu, Christopher Marchetti, Kristin McAllister, Michelle Moss, Stephen Neal, Therese Power, Tara Ryan, Amanda Smith, Debra Soreff, Caren Stutz, Laura Wilson.

## Grade 9

### *High Honors*

Amy Ferraro, Jin Woo Joo, Gillian Kiley, Michelle Messinger, Michelle Ann Murphy, Amy Smith, Alexander Sumberg, Elise Wald.

### *Honors*

Lisa Allen, Ami Bakshi, Christopher Battles, Sonja Behling, Jennifer Blake, Edward Capeless, Leigh Catanzaro, Stacey Champagne, Jennifer Colangeli, Sean Corcoran, Jennifer Dewitt, Michelle Doucette, Elaine Eriksen, Stefan Fodor, Wendy Germain, Lesley Goldberg, Aaron Haselton, Alison Ingves, Peter Johnson, Laura Koerckel, Kelly Kraemer, Erin Lahiff, Krista Lavoie, Matthew Levine, Keri Lynch, Aaron Mayers, Craig Milligan, Brenda Petzold, Paula Phieffer , Darlene Prochniak, Jennifer Recesso, Jonathan Reilly, Maria Sanchez, Manish Shah, Nancy Lee Troy, Michael Weiner.

# Doherty Pauses To Remember

The students, faculty and staff at Doherty Junior High School joined as a family to commemorate Veteran's Day during a brief, but fitting ceremony in the school foyer on Tuesday, Nov. 10.

Opening remarks by Dr. Richard McGrail called upon all members present to remember those who gave their lives for their country and to continue to work toward world peace. Manish Shah, ninth grade student, offered a dramatic reading of "Flanders Field" while Tara Piantoni of the ninth grade read an appropriate piece on the significance and origin of Armistice Day. The ceremony closed with the salute to the flag and a moment of silence in tribute to all men and women who lost their lives during the wars.

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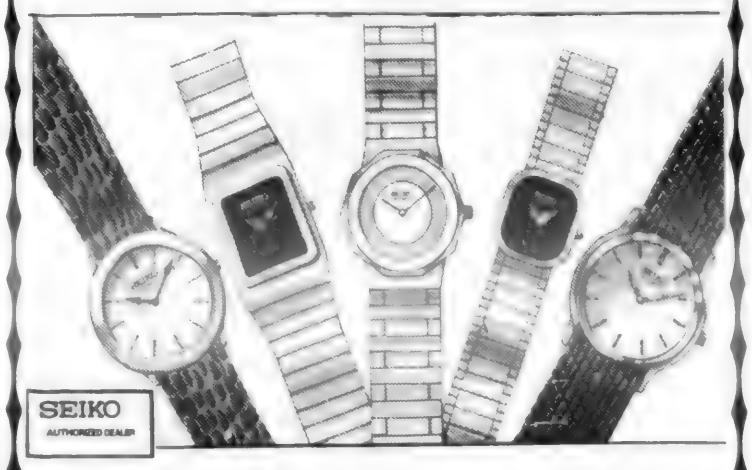


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# Doherty Students Plan Activities

Back from Thanksgiving vacation, students at Doherty Junior High School look forward to a busy month. First-term report cards were mailed home last month and outstanding students will be honored at a student recognition assembly next week.

The annual Holday Food Drive continues to be a great success with many cartons of canned food collected for local charities.

Doherty students hosted the Merrimack Valley Student Leadership Conference last month. The social studies eepartment organized a special assembly in observance of the Bicentennial of the United States Constitution. Dan Warner of the **Lawrence Eagle Tribune** was the guest speaker.

Students at Doherty will hold their second dance of the year on Friday, Dec. 4. Seventh-graders can attend a dance from 2:15 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the cafeteria; the eighth and ninth-grade students' dance will be held from 7:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. in the cafeteria. Students who bring five cans each for the canned food drive and will receive $1 off admission.

The Doherty Outing Club has planned a skating trip to Roll-On-America on Tuesday, Dec. 8, from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m.

A sports banquet for school athletes is planned for Friday, Dec. 11, in the cafeteria.

The Parent Advisory Council and Student Council hope to start a new holiday tradition at Doherty as they formalize plans for a carolling party in Central Park on Thursday, Dec. 17, from 7 p.m. to 7:30 p.m. The community is invited to join the festivities as Doherty celebrates the spirit of the season.

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## Alumni Open House Planned

An open house for Andover High School alumni will be held in the Career Resource Center on Tuesday, Dec. 22. The purpose of the open house is to share information about what college life is like with this year's college-bound seniors.

During period three, a panel of alumni will answer questions about college life and seniors will be able to talk informally about the colleges they represent.

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# Mahony Meets With Students

Town Manager Kenneth Mahony confronts a sea of faces and a host of questions from Bancroft sixth graders, who are learning how to be more politically aware.

By Melissa M. DeMeo

What does a town manager do?
Does the one in Andover like his job?
How much does he make?
How many hours does he work?

These and other questions were asked by 97 Bancroft School sixth graders Friday, Nov. 20 as part of their political awareness unit.

Developed by teacher Irene Crane with a Horace Mann grant the unit is divided into three segments: town, state and federal.

"I feel they (the students) don't know enough about the workings of government," Crane said. "I want to make it current. We do current events and read newspapers. They find out what they can discuss with their parents at the dinner table."

Crane said the political awareness unit, which brings speakers into the classroom, complements the kids' other studies. "It improves their listening and speaking skills, their writing skills, when they invite these people to come. Some have done research to find out whether a person is elected or appointed; and that means they have to use the library."

Crane said she used to teach a smaller version of the unit to her own class, but it wasn't until she got the Mann grant that it became a full-fledged part of the sixth grade curriculum.

The advantage for the students is that they get to meet the people behind the names they learn. "It's making it real to them—having people come in and answer their questions."

Guest of honor last Friday was Town Manager Kenneth Mahony, who was greeted by a computer printout welcome sign. Before he started speaking, the kids were abuzz with activity. Each had prepared a question for the town manager.

Has the unit changed how they feel about politics? "Yes," said Sara LaRose. "I want to be the first woman president."

Some of the students have political ambitions; some just wanted to find out more about a day in the life of a town manager. "We rely on your parents who work on the 29 committees in the town....We do an awful lot of different things. My predecessor (Jared S. A. Clark) supervised the construction of this school," Mahony told the students.

"An elected official is someone who puts his name up and lets the people say, 'We trust you,'" he continued.

He told them he supervises town functions. He told them he likes his job—most of the time. He told them he makes $70,000 a year. He told them he works 60 hours a week.

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# Western Roundup

By Ellen Cohen

Last week Andover West Junior High School participated in the third annual Greater Lawrence Middle Level Student Leadership Conference. The first session was held at Doherty Junior High School on Wednesday, Nov. 18. Daniel Warner, editor of the **Lawrence Eagle Tribune**, shared his perception of leadership as he observed the traits of people he covered as a reporter. The students divided into small groups and discussed leadership—"The Challenge of Leadership" and "Understanding Yourself as a Leader."

The school also participated in the Great American Smokeout. Discussions were held concerning the dangers of smoking and the prevention of starting the habit of smoking.

All seventh and ninth grade students had their photographs taken. Ninth-grade pictures will be used in the yearbook.

The first of four career days was held for ninth-grade students on Wednesday, Nov. 18. Twelve professionals from different professions and industries came to the school. Each student attended two of these sessions with two different professionals. We thank the followingpeople for adding to this most successful day: Atty. Peter Shaheen; Judge Paul Perocchi; Murial Norwood and David Workman, computers; Brian Eaton, photography; Joe Pollard, Bob Hempe and Martha Phinney, banking; John Bishop, marketing; Tom Duff, draftsman; Bud Crowninshield, accounting; Dick Landry, architecture.


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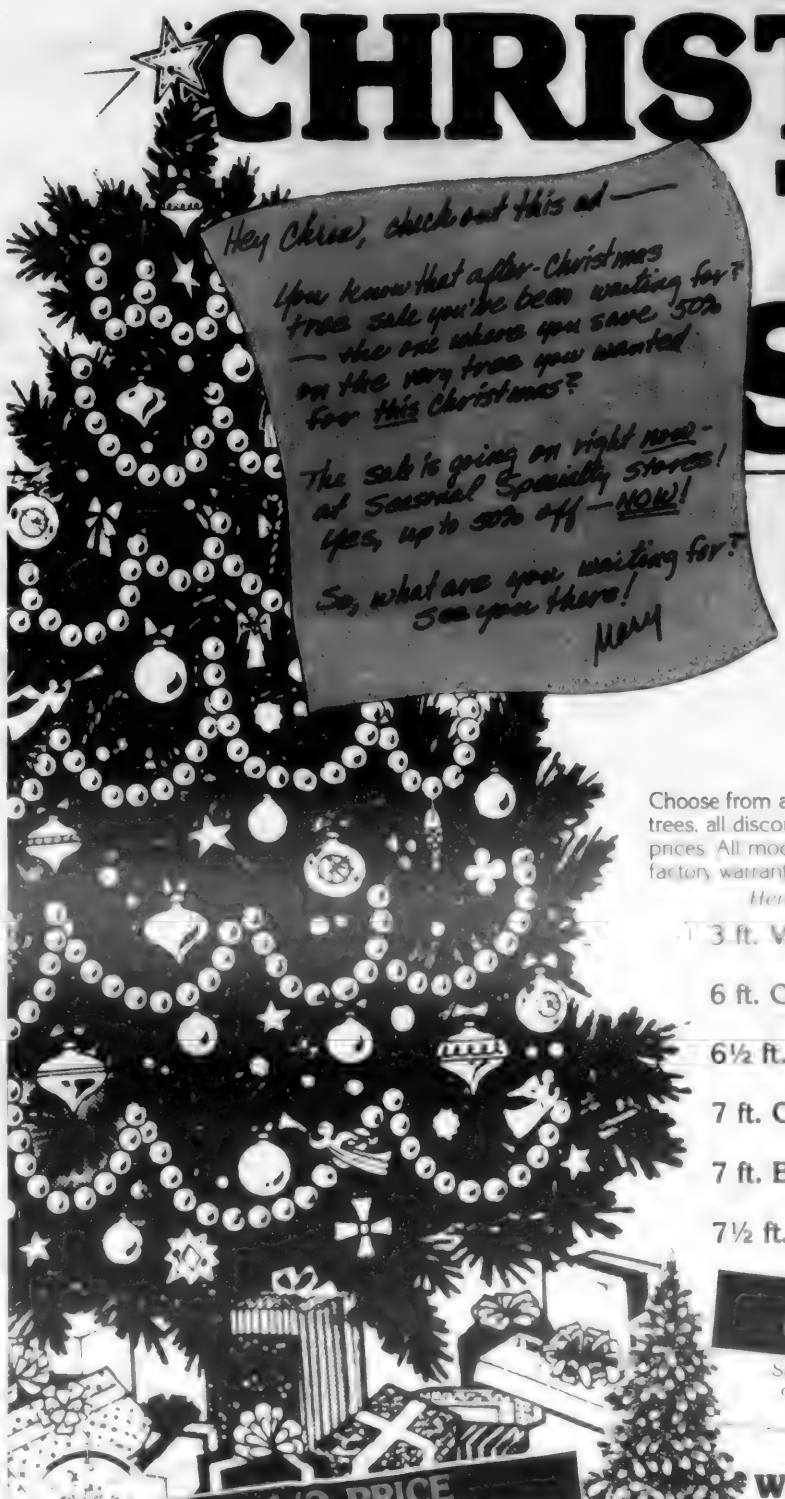


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## *Celebrating The Saints*

**Students at St. Augustine School attended a para-liturgy celebrating All Saints' Day. In front of the St. Augustine Church altar are, left to right, Craig Davis, David Ciaccia, Eric Lawrence, Terzah Heller, Eric Demers and Keith McMeniman.**

# West In Basketball Shootout

West Elementary School will participate in a Boston Celtics Easter Seal Basketball Shootout Thursday, Dec. 10. The event is part of a statewide campaign sponsored by Zayre to raise money for Easter Seal services for people with disabilities.

Kevin McHale of the Boston Celtics is honorary chairman. Students who raise $1,000 or more will receive a basketball and two tickets to a Celtics' game.

Each West Elementary School student participating in the shootout asks friends, neighbors and relatives to pledge a specific amount for each basket he makes. Each player, under the supervision of coach Art Iworsley, shoots baskets for three minutes and collects money for Easter Seals.

Proceeds are used to fund Easter Seal services which include therapeutic swim programs, stroke clubs, a residential camp, therapy services, an equipment loan program and Easter Seal Home Health Care.

# *Pascucci In Concert*

Berklee College of Music junior trumpeter David Pascucci, son of Ben and Alice Pascucci of Andover, was featured in "Rock Arranging: Live!!," a concert of pop and rock in the Berklee Performance Center on November 30.

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Pascucci is majorng in performance.

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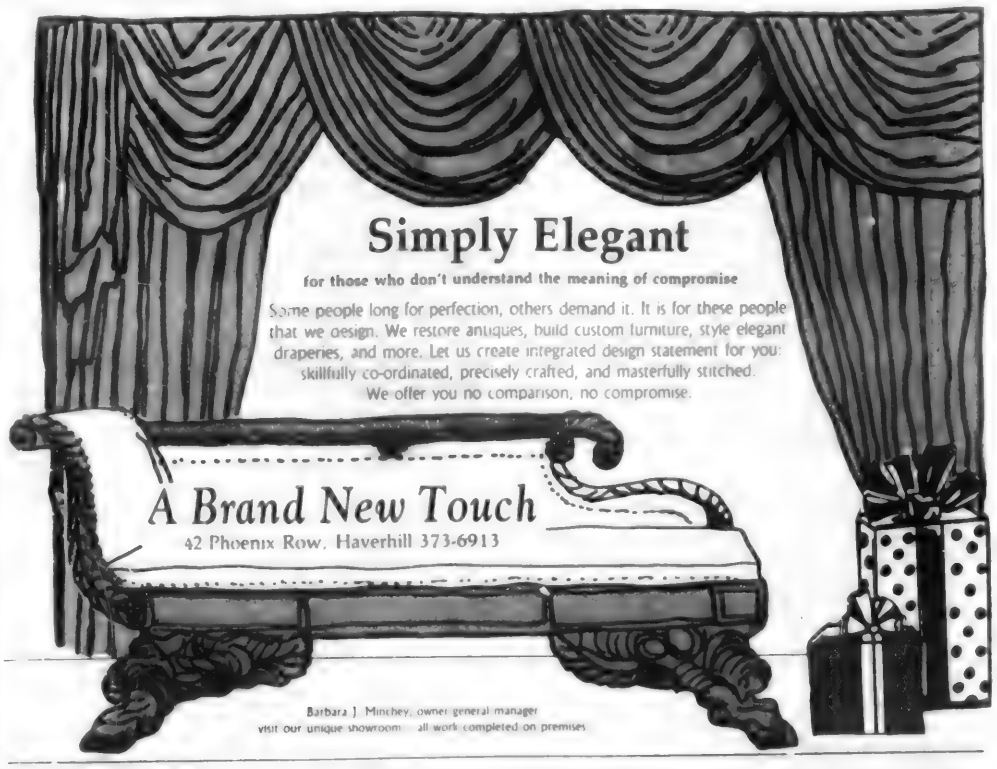

# Western Stars Chosen

The following students have been elected as Western Stars for the first marking period of the 1987-88 school year. This honor is bestowed on less than 5 percent of the school population by the staff and faculty in recognition of their outstanding character, courtesy, commitment, cooperatiion and citizenship.

Students will have lunch with Principal William E. Hart on Thursday, Dec. 3, and receive a Western Star T-shirt. Their names will be permanently posted in the main corridor of the school.

### Grade 9

**Dallas Babineau**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Babineau, 24 Brechin Terrace;

**Ellen Cohen**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Neal Cohen, 9 Lamancha Way;

**Matt Orlando**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Orlando, 4 Belle Isle Way;

**Sean Veasy**, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Willson, 12 Samos Lane;

**Nicole Wendt**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Wendt, 21 Inwood Lane.

### Grade 8

**Thomas Bonier**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bonier, 104 Chestnut St.;

**Alexis Campbell**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Campbell, 14 Dean Circle;

**Shawn Garrity**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Garrity, 19 Juniper Road;

**Matt Haskell**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Christopher Haskell, 11 Patricia Circle;

**Kasie Kearins**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Kearins, 15 Apache Way;

**Tania Pierce**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Pierce, 10 Blanchard St.;

**Christopher Pothier**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pothier, 7 High Plain Road;

**Sean Ryan**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ryan, 4 Cindy Lane;

**Carie Waxler**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Waxler, 2 Robinswood Way.

### Grade 7

**Adam Lafond**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lafond, 5 Canterbury St.;

**David Lai**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Lai, 19 Ayer St.;

**Smita Malpani**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jugal Malpani, 2 Rutgers Road;

**Philip Maymin**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Zakhan Maymin, 101 Bellevue Road;

**Anthony Mendoza**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Mendoza, 17 Balmoral St.;

**Richard Meyers**, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Meyers, 17 Rennie Drive;

**Stacie Ringleb**, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Diethelm Ringleb, 5 Sweetbriar Lane.

Wild flowers have been known to bloom in the Arctic, even at the edge of glaciers.

### Meeting

The Merrimack Valley Region of the Mass Chapter National Head Injury Foundation will hold their support group for head injured, family and friends at the Billerica Regional Medical Center, 76 Treble Cove Road, Billerica, Wednesday, Dec. 9, from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m.

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Toys may also be left at the MVRTA Transit Station in Washington Square in Haverhill or with the customer service representative at the Transfare office 370 Common St., Lawrence.

The MVRTA is also sponsoring a Holiday Fair on Sunday, Dec. 6, at the American Legion Farm, Main Street, Haverhill, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. There will be craft tables, gift items, jewelry, raffles and something of interest for everyone. Area merchants have been generous in their donations for the raffle table and all proceeds will be used to purchase toys for the Toys for Tots program. More than 300 new toys were distributed last year through the Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Greater Lawrence and the MSPCC of the Merrimack Valley.

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# Andover Artists Win Award

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Judges Thomas M. Nicholas, Kay Kandra and Joyce Pigeon were impressed by the high quality of art work in the competition.

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# Presented Award From Foundation

By Jennifer Chunias
AHS Junior

Eric Friese

Eric Friese, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Friese, Pleasant Street, Andover, was the 1987 recipient of the Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation award. He will compete with sophomores throughout the state to move on to a nationwide competition in Wisconsin.

ATe Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation State Leadership seminars have been held annually since 1958. Their purpose is to bring a select group of high school sophomores together with distinguished leaders to discuss present and future issues of worldwide concern. All sophomores are eligible to apply and be judged by their school's designated selection committee. The application consists of three essay questions dealing with leadership ability, sensitivity towards others and a desire to learn and share knowledge.

Friese, a well-rounded student involved in track, the Genesis church group, SADD and other community organizations as well as the student exchange program, exceeded these requirements.

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# Use Of Computers At Early Childhood Center

**(Editor's Note: Third in a series of articles describing Andover's computer education plan, written by Kenneth Kwajewski, computer education director.)**

The computer education plan approved by the town of Andover targeted the use of computer technology at all grade levels, including kindergarten and readiness. A goal at the first-grade level will be to teach students keyboarding skills in preparation for using the computer as a word processor. This topic will be described in the next article. A precursor to the first-grade program is an awareness component taught at the Early Childhood Center. The curriculum at this level will begin to teach students about the computer keyboard and reinforce language arts and mathematics skills. The curriculum at ECC should excite students to use the computer in later grade levels.

The software chosen for this level was Sunburst's "Complete Kindergarten Curriculum," an award-winning package that combines graphics, sound, music and the muppet characters in order to allow students to explore the keyboard. The software consists of three programs that present the material in a stimulating format. The titles of the programs are "Muppets on Stage," "Muppetvill" and "Muppet Word Book." The programs are effective for children of different levels and teachers may modify a program to customize activities for an individual student. There are teacher guides that contain lesson supplemments, worksheets, gameboards and ideas for additional non-computer activities to reinforce the curriculum. Dorie Bicknell, media specialist at ECC, has prepared individual teacher guides to facilitate the use of this software in all the classrooms.

The Sunburst programs offer a balance of dicovery, drill and entertainment. "Muppets on Stage" allows students to explore the keyboard while learning about lower- and upper-case letters, numbers and other non-letter symbols, matching, sorting and counting. In "Muppetville," students steer Kermit and his unicycle through a town, stopping at various buildings to participate in activities that reinforce pattern recognition, simple addition skills, identification and classification of shapes, musical tones, colors and numbers. It employs concentration-type activities designed to develop visual and auditory discrimination. The most advanced software program, "Muppet Word Book," has games that match pairs of lower- and upper-case letters and others that form simple one-syllable words. It also includes a simple word processor that allow students to type and print out four lines of text, each containing up to eight large size letters or symbols. These programs, along with other software packages, will be used throughout the year to fulfill the computer education goal for this level. They are designed to be fun, entertaining, educational and offer students a positive first experience wit the computer.

Linnea Gershenberg, principal of the Early Childhood Center, explained that students are only there for two and a half hours, and it is important that they are taught many other educational and social skills. Individual teachers will fit the computer experience into their programs appropriately to the needs of their students. Some teachers may employ the use of parent volunteers to assist with the computer curriculum and there may be peer teaching by having advanced students teach students with less experience. However, the primary objective, that each student become familiar with the computer keyboard, will be accomplished.

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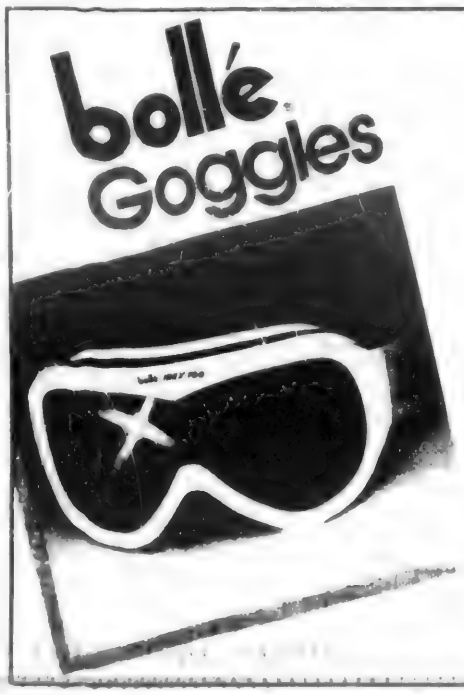

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# Holiday Arrangements On View At Blanchard House

By Barbara Thibault

The Andover Historical Society, in cooperation with the Andover Garden Club, decorated its Blanchard House Museum and Exhibit Rooms with holiday arrangements and special selections from the toys, dolls and miniature furniture in its collection.

Viewing hours are from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. weekdays and guided tours are available between 1 p.m. and 3 p.m. There is a small admission fee to cover the cost of the seasonal displays. Special open hours for the downtown crowd will be Saturday, Dec. 5. A Holiday Open House is scheduled for Sunday, Dec. 6, from 2 p.m. to 4 p.m. at no charge.

Holiday time is an ideal period to display those objects in the society's collection that are favorites and not representative of the house museum's 1820-40 interpretation. This year the collection and exhibit committees selected such toys as carriages, trains and wooden animals. One doll carriage is painted red with four wooden wheels and a leather covered top decked with ball fringe. A three-car wooden train with moveable wheels has an engine named "America" pulling a coal car and "Reed's" drawing room car decorated by stencils.

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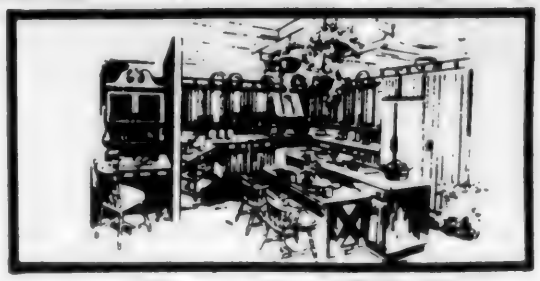

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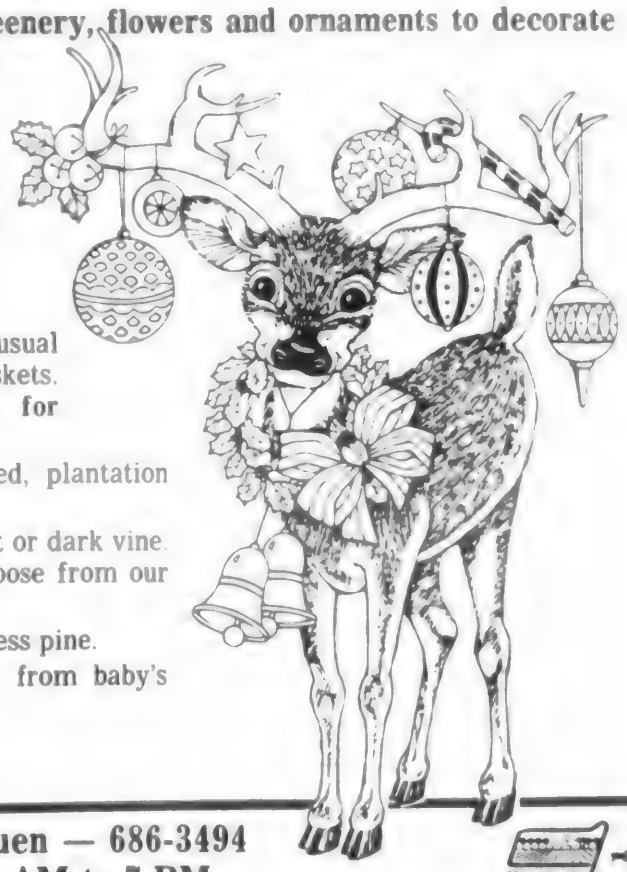

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With children home on school vacation, growing weary of new toys and turkey sandwiches, the office of the Secretary of State has some suggestions for parents whose patience has worn thin.

The Commonwealth Museum on Columbia Point in Boston is a fascinating reflection of the "People, Places and Politics" of historical Massachusetts and will be open Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. throughout the holiday season. Admission is free of charge. Currently on exhibit is "By what Right...," an interactive video display that celebrates the bicentennial of the U.S. Consititution. Also on display is "New Bedford: 200 Years of Diversity," a pictorial exhibit of the seaport's economic history through its whaling, textile and fishing industries.

Both young and old will enjoy a trip through the "Time Machine with Governor Bradford," a narrative presented by J. Allyn Bradford, ann 11th-generation descendant of Plymouth Colony's Governor Bradford, a Mayflower passenger.

Be sure to stop by the State House for a day of educational fun. Secretary Connolly's Tours and Government Education Division offers architectural, historic and legislative process tours, free of charge, Monday through Friday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Be sure to attend the Christmas Concert Series, sponsored by the Tours and Government Education Division of the Office of Secretary. All concerts start at noon on the Grand Staircase. The schedule is: Thurseday, Dec. 10, Westwood High School Chorus and Brass Ensemble; Friday, Dec. 11, Boston Latin Academy Gospel Choir; Tuesday, Dec. 15, Framingham South High School Band; Wednesday, Dec. 16, Wellesley Middle School Chorus; Friday, Dec. 18, Hudson High School Band.

The colorful Mexican "posada" or pilgrimmage, dramatizes the search which led Mary and Joseph to the stable. For each of the nine nights before Christmas a couple dressed as Mary and Joseph goes from house to house. Only at the last house are they—and the parade of neighbors now following them—invited in for supper.

## *Holiday*

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Dolls vary from "Tommy" in his sailor suit to those with bisque, china and papier mache heads. A favorite has a rag body and papier mache head, arms and legs. Brown eyes and black hair are painted on her face as well as a pink hat topped by a black feather. Fancy accessoris are on display in trunks, dressers and chests. Look for the bonnet with ivory lace, a silk parasol and a white knitted muff in a black triangle pattern.

Miniature furniture for children and dolls add to the holiday exhibit. A doll kitchen with more than a hundred pieces was used by an Andover family in the 1870s. Likewise, there is local association with the majority of the society's collection. An Andover boy is known to have used a gold and red painted bamboo chair dressed with a needlepoint seat and a beaded horse.

The Andover Historical Society, accredited by the American Association of Museums, is a non-profit, educational institution open to members and the public. For information, call the society office between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m., Monday through Friday.

The skin on the body least sensitive to pain is that on the heel.

## St. Augustine School Fair

St. Augustine School, 26 Central St., will hold its annual Christmas Treasures Fair Saturday, Dec. 5, from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Admission is free.

The fair will feature Victorian ornaments, country crafts, homemade fudge, fresh greens, tree skirts and more. Luncheon will be served from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m., and coffee and doughnuts will be served in the morning.

Chairman for this events are school guild officers Ann Davies, Kathy Buonopane, Karren Vantzelfde and Jan Zink.

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# THE SOCIAL SIDE



## Women's Club To Hold Holiday Meeting Monday

The polar caps of Mars wax and ane with the seasons, not by melting but by evaporating in the summer and condensing in the winter.

The Shawsheen Village Women's Club will hold their holiday meeting Monday, Dec. 7, at the Andover Country Club. The evening will begin with the traditional wassail bowl.

Entertainment will feature the talented Barry Lowe, piano and accordion, and Joan Pelletier, vocalist.

Lowe holds bachelor's and master's degrees in music and is administrator and director of music in the Reading school system. A well-known and versatile musician, he has performed throughout the United States. Lowe lives in North Andover.

Pelletier studied voice and theater arts at the Boston Conservatory of Music and has played leading roles in major musical productions. Also a resident of North Andover, she is the daughter of Mrs. Frank Haggerty, a member of the club.

Mrs. Thomas Henehan and Mrs. Leroy W. Hoffman will be hostesses for the evening.


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Paula Eldred

## July Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Richard J. Eldred of 50 Lupine Road announce the engagement of their daughter, Paula Marie, to Thomas Arthur Appleby of 22 Washington Ave.

Ms. Eldred graduated from Andover High School in 1984. She is studying to be an elementary school teacher at the University of Lowell and is a teller at Andover Savings Bank.

Her fiance, the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard H. Appleby of Camden, Maine, formerly of Dayton, N.J., graduated from South Brunswick High School in South Brunswick, N.J. and from the University of Maine at Orono with a bachelor of science degree in accounting in 1986. He is a staff accountant at Gibco Laboratories in Lawrence.

A July 9 wedding is planned.

Maura Keegan

## *Maura Keegan Engaged*

Mr. and Mrs. Harold O. Keegan of 7 Launching Road announce the engagement of their daughter, Maura T., to K. Christopher Furey, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Furey of Lynnfield and Falmouth.

Miss Keegan is a graduate of Andover High School and College of the Holy Cross in Worcester. She is an account executive for Bank of Boston.

Mr. Furey is a graduate of St. John's Prepatory School and Merrimack College. He is a sales representative for Free Flo Packaging.

A June, 1988 wedding is planned.

## *La Leche*

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at 9:30 a.m. at the home of Pam Santiago, 35½ Arnold St., Methuen.

These meetings are the last in the current series of four monthly meetings open to nursing mothers and their babies, pregnant and other interested women. The discussion is informal with opportunity to ask questions and share experiences. Each group maintains a lending library of books on breastfeeding, childbirth and child care. La Leche League may be called at any time for immediate help, encouragement and practical suggestions


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Mr. and Mrs. Kurt Hespeler

## Hespeler-Powers

Eileen Marie Powers, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward W. Powers of 7 Midland Circle, and Kurt Gregory Hespeler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Guenther Hespeler of Mystic, Conn., were married at St. Augustine Church by the Rev. Thomas Meehan, O.S.A.

The maid of honor was Meredith Evans of California. Bridesmaids were Monica Dolan of New Jersey, Claire Chelius of Philadelphia, Penn., Mary Davis of Reading, Penn., Christine Gerhat of Mystic and Mary Melia of Andover.

Best men were Kraig and Karl Hespeler of Mystic. Ushers were Jonothan Sproul of Mystic and Edward J., Thomas E. and Scott D. Powers of Andover.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a gown designed by Bianchi. It was cathedral length and made of peau de sois with alencon lace and hand sewn pearls.

Her headpiece was a wreath of satin roses with a cathedral length veil. The bouquet consisted of a dozen cascading Queen Ann roses and baby breath.

Following a reception at the Andover Country Club, the couple took a wedding trip to Jamaica.

The bride graduated from Assumption College in 1986 and is a corporate accountant at State Street Bank in Boston.

The groom graduated from the University of Connecticut in 1983 with a bachelor of science degree in mechanical engineering.

Alison Smith

## June Wedding Planned

Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Baker Smith of 62 Abbot St. announce the engagement of their daughter, Alison Hamilton, to Thomas Michael Bentley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Gordon Bentley of East Fishkill, N.Y.

Miss Smith graduated from the Pike School in 1978, Phillips Academy in 1981 and from Smith College in 1985. She is associated with Massachusetts Financial Services Inc. in Boston.

Mr. Bentley was graduated from John Jay High School in 1982 and is currently attending Northeastern University.

A June wedding is planned.

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For directions and further information, call group leaders Corliss Paolino and Lauri Brown in Andover or Maureen Lyons in North Andover.

## Christian Women's Club Holds Lunch

The Merrimack Valley Christian Women's Club is organizing a luncheon for Thursday, Dec. 10 from noon to 2 p.m. at Windsor Mills Restaurant, Route 110 in Dracut.

The theme of the luncheon is "Holiday Gifts from the Kitchen." Carole Demetriades of Salem, N.H. will speak on "The Cook's Concern." Accomplished accordionist Chris Johnson of Dracut will provide the music. And Sheila Champagne of Andover will be guest speaker.

Child care is available at the restaurant by reservation. Cost of the luncheon is $8.75. Call Jill, 685-4894, for reservations. Reservations not cancelled must be paid.

## *Christmas Music Featured*

The November Club will hold its December meeting Dec. 7 at Christ Church Parish Hall. Dessert will be served at 1 p.m.

Mrs. Charles MacKenzie and Mrs. John McClemont, directors of the club, will greet members and guests. Immediate past presidents Mrs. Lucius Jones and Mrs. Robert Vandor will pour at the tea table. Mrs. Anthony Sakowich will provide the centerpiece.

Ruth Harcovitz, will known coloratura soparano, will present a concert of songs for the Christmas season. She is a graduate of the New England Conservatory and has performed with the Boston Symphony Orchestra, at Carnegie Hall and throughout New England.

## Christmas Program For Gardeners

The Spade and Trowel Garden Club of Andover will celebrate Christmas by candlelight on Tuesday, Dec. 8, at the home of President Ann Royal, 11 Peters St., North Andover, at 6:30 p.m. There will be punch, hors d'oeurves, a holiday dessert and an old fashion Yankee Swap.

Prospetive members are invited.

## *McGovern Addresses Hadassah Chapter*

Senator Pat McGovern will address members of the Greater Lawrence Chapter of Hadassah on Sunday, Dec. 6, at the home of Cindy and Dana Cohen.

Her talk will focus on highlights of her recent trip to Israel.

The evening will begin at 6:30 p.m. and include a light supper. All Hadassah members and guests are welcome

## *Simmons Club Meets Thursday*

The Merrimack Valley Simmons Club will hold its annual Christmas workshop and gift exchange Thursday, Dec. 10, at 7:30 p.m. at the Carriage House, Chelmsford Library, Chelmsford. Call Doris Sullivan or Muriel Doherty by Monday, Dec. 7, for reservations.


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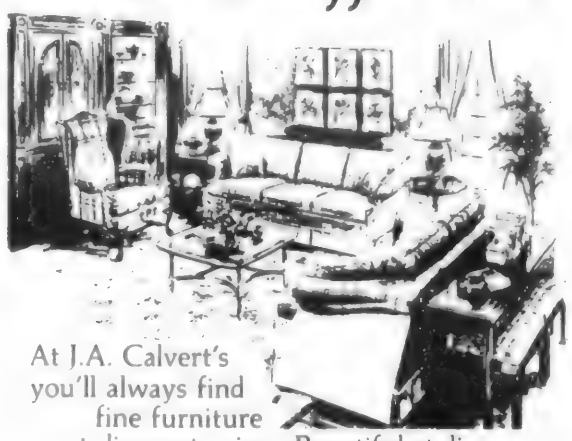

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# Church News

## El Salvador Sanctuary Program At Unitarian Church

A presentation of the politics of Central America, with particular emphasis on El Salvador where the U.S. has been involved since 1979, will be held Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 8 p.m. at the Unitarian Universalist Church, 6 Locke St., downtown Andover. The controversery over U.S. participation has rung through the halls of Congress and been the subject of headlines in major newspapers around the world as well as countless evening telecasts and documentaries.

Prof. Charles Tontar, economics professor at Merrimack College in North Andover, will speak on marxist politics. He is a specialist on Central America and has written and delivered many papers on the subject.

Jim and Julia Wallace of Old Cambridge Baptist Church will speak of their personal experience with a mother who was forced to flee El Salvador to save her life as a result of her activities as a labor organizer, leaving her young children behind.

Jim is affiliated with MIT as an urban planner and with ABT Associates in Cambridge, a renowned research group.

The Wallaces will illustrate their presentation with slides. Questions and comments from the audience will be encouraged.

There is no charge for this program.

## Advent Tea At Christ Church

The Christ Church Yuletide Fair weekend will end with its annual closing of an Advent tea followed by a Service of Lessons and Carols for Advent this Sunday, Dec. 6. The Andover community is invited to the tea which begins at 3 p.m. in the Parish Hall and to the Lessons and Carols Service at 4 p.m. in the church. The ecumenical service will involve clergy from Andover area churches and the Parish Choir of Christ Church and guest choirs from other parishes will provide the music for this candlelight service.

Lessons and Carols services are relative newcomers to the United States, being copies of the now famous service held annually, since 1918, at King's College Cambridge, England. The origin of this service dates back to the reign of King Henry VI of England in the mid-15th century when the Lessons and Carols Service was first used to symbolize the good will of town-gown relationships with the students at Eton. The current, populär format was created by the Bishop of Truro, England, for use in his cathedral and shortly after modified for King's. Since that time the basic concept has been used for various seasons of the year where carols, hymns and songs can be correlated with scriptural passages and other readings.

The lessons for Advent are full of Old Testament prophecy. Christ Church's ecumenical service draws from the Books of Genesis, Isaiah, Micha and Zephaniah. As the readings pro-

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# church services...

### Greek Orthodox

**Sts. Constantine & Helen Church**
**Essex & Gale Streets**
**Lawrence, MA 683-7977**
**Rev. Dr. George Karahalios, Pastor**

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Orthos; 10:30 a.m. Divine Liturgy & Sunday School; 12 Noon Family Hour.

### Apostolic

**St. Gregory Armenian Apostolic Church**
**Rev. Sahag Vertanesian, Pastor**
**158 Main St., North Andover**

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m. Morning Prayer; 10:15 a.m. Badarak. (Holy Mass)

### Baptist

**Andover Baptist Church**
**Rev. David S. Eaton**
**Interim Minister**
**7 Central St., Andover**

SUNDAY: 9:45-10:30 a.m. Sunday School for all ages. 10:45 a.m. Worship Service.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer

**Judson Memorial Baptist Church (S.B.C.)**
**3 Greene St., Lawrence**
**686-9181**
**Rev. D. Keith Coleman, Pastor**

SUNDAY: 9:45 a.m.: 11 a.m. Bible Study for all ages; 11 a.m. Worship; 6:30 p.m. Worship.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Prayer Service.

### Bible Chapels

**Andover Bible Chapel**
**266 Lowell St., Andover**

SUNDAY: 9:00 a.m. Worship Meeting; 10 a.m. Sunday School & Adult Education Classes; 11:30 a.m. Family Bible Hour

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Prayer Meeting; Children's Dial-A-Story 475-9194

**Believers Chapel**
**Mark Tropeano**
**Pastor/Teacher**
**Koala Inn, Route 97**
SUNDAY: [illegible]

**Rehobath Fellowship Center**
**244 Lowell St., Andover**
**Pastor: Franklin W. Hobbs**

SUNDAY: EVENINGS 6-7 Bible Study 7-9 Worship and Praise

FRIDAY: Choir rehearsal.

**The New England Bible Church**
**16 Haverhill Street**
**Andover, Mass.**
**Rev. M. E. Thompson III**

SUNDAY: Morning Worship 9 a.m. Sunday School 10:30 a.m. Evening Worship 6 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer

**Fellowship Bible Church**
**525 Turnpike Street**
**No. Andover**
**Pastor Joseph Stringer**

SUNDAY: 7, 8:5 a.m. Fellowship Time, WUCM, 8:30 & 11 a.m. Morning Worship, 9:45 a.m. Sunday School; 6 p.m. Evening Worship

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Prayer Meeting.

### Catholic

**St. Augustine's Church**
**Rev. Richard T. O'Leary, O.S.A., Pastor**
**43 Essex St., Andover**

SATURDAY: Mass 4:30 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses at 8, 9:30, 11 a.m, 12:30 p.m.

Holy Day Masses: See Bulletin.

First Friday Mass: 10:30 a.m.

Reconciliation: Saturday, 11 a.m.-12 noon; 7 p.m.-8 p.m.

**St. Robert Bellarmine Church**
**Rev. Frederick J. Collins, Pastor**
**Haggetts Pond Road, Andover**

SATURDAY: Masses 5:00 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses: 8, 9:30, 11 a.m.

**St. Joseph's Church**
**High St., Ballardvale**

SUNDAY: Masses 10:00 a.m.

**St. Michael's Church**
**Rev. Joseph Sviriskas, Pastor**
**196 Main St., North Andover**

SATURDAY: Masses at 4:30 and 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY: Masses at 7:30, 9, 10:30 a.m. and 12 Noon

Daily Masses at 8:45 a.m. and 9 a.m.

### Christian Science

**First Church of Christ, Scientist**
**278 No. Main St., Andover**

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Church Services; Sunday School; Nursery Available.

WEDNESDAY: 8 p.m. Testimony Meeting.

### Presbyterian

**First Presbyterian Church**
**Broadway, Haverhill**
**Exit 50 off 495**
**Rev. Donald Wick, Pastor**

SUNDAY: Services 11 a.m.

### Congregational

**Free Christian Church**
**Rev. Dr. Jack L. Daniel, Jr. Pastor**
**Rev. Neil D. Olcott Associate Pastor**
**31 Elm St., Andover**

THURSDAY: 4 p.m. Baptism Class; 5:30 p.m. Junior High Youth; 7 p.m. Senior High Youth; 7:30 p.m. Senior Choir

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Sunday School Adult Bible Class Crib Room 10:45 a.m. Worship Service Lighting of the Advent Wreath Sacrament of Communion Crib Room 11 a.m. Childrens Church 12 p.m. Healing Service 6 p.m. Advent Wreath Workshop & Hymn Sing

TUESDAY: 6:15 a.m. Men's Breakfast 4:15 p.m. Junior Choir; 7:30 p.m. Diaconate & Trustees

WEDNESDAY: 9 a.m. Womens Fellowship; 7:30 p.m. Praise & Prayer

### Episcopal

**Christ Church**
**The Rev. James A. Diamond Rector**
**The Rev. Andrew C. Hemersley Curate**
**Rev. Donald R. Woodward Assistant Minister**
**25 Central St., Andover**

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion; 9 a.m. Holy Communion; 10:15 a.m. Education Hour; 11:15 a.m. (first Sunday of the Holy Communion remaining Sundays Morning Prayer and Sermon).

MONDAY: 10 a.m. Spiritsong (an ecumenical sacred dance group); 12:30 p.m. Holy Communion (except first Mondays of the month).

TUESDAY: 8 p.m. Al-Anon; 8 p.m. Alateen.

WEDNESDAY: 10:30 a.m.; 5:30 p.m. Overeaters Anon; 8 p.m. Al-Anon Step.

THURSDAY: 5 p.m. Soprano rehearsal; 7 p.m. Full choir.

FRIDAY: 5:30 p.m. Overeaters Anon.

**St. Paul's Episcopal Church**
**Rev. Alexander S. Daley, Rector**
**390 Main St., North Andover**

SUNDAY: 8 a.m. Holy Communion. 10 a.m. First and Third Sundays. Holy Communion and sermon. Other Sundays Morning Prayer and sermon. Church School all Sundays

THURSDAY: 10 a.m. Holy Communion

### Jewish

**Temple Emanuel**
**7 Haggetts Pond Rd.**
**Andover, Mass.**
**Rabbi Harry A. Roth, D.D.**
**Cantor Donn R. Rosenweig**

FRIDAY: 8:15 p.m. Sabbath Service.

SATURDAY: 9 a.m. Chapel Service; 10:30 a.m. Sanctuary - Bar/Bat Mitzvah Service

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Chapel Service

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**492 Lowell St., Lawrence**

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SUNDAY 9 a.m. and sundown

**Temple Emanuel Of Merrimack Valley**
**101 W. Forest Street**
**Lowell, Mass.**
**Rabbi Everett Gendler**

FRIDAY 8 p.m. Evening Service

SUNDAY 10 a.m. Sunday School 10 a.m. Morning Adult Coffee

### Lutheran

**Faith Lutheran Church**
**Rev. Dennis Kohl, Pastor**
**360 So. Main St., Andover**

SATURDAY 5:30 p.m. Spoken Holy Communion

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SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Choir Rehearsal; 10:30 a.m. Worship Service and Pageant Rehearsal; Sermon: "The Power of Light" Part II Chanukah; 3:30 p.m. Holiday Craft Workshop.

### United Church of Christ

**Trinitarian Congregational Church**
**Rev. Herbert J. Schumm**
**72 Elm St., North Andover**

SUNDAY: 10 a.m. Worship Service, Church School.

**West Parish Church (United Church of Christ)**
**129 Reservation Rd., Andover**
**Rev. Roger C. B. Daly**
**Interim Minister**

SUNDAY: 2nd Sunday of Advent. 10:30 a.m. Service of Word and Sacrament: Ms. Linda Knight, Minister of Christian Education, will give the sermon, "Waiting For The Lord." Scriptures: Isaiah 40:31; Luke 1:26-38. The Rev. Roger C. B. Daly, Interim Minister, will give the children's story, "What's That You Say?". The second Advent Candle will be lighted by the Peltz family. The children will gather in the sanctuary; Church School will follow; Infant/Toddler care during worship; Greeting the congregation will be Patti & Jack Anderson; Coffee Hour folowing worship hosted by Pat Greet and the sixth grade; 2 p.m. Advent Workshop.

MONDAY: 7:30 p.m. Ministry of Outreach.

TUESDAY: 7:30 p.m. All Ministries; Nominating Committee

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal.

THURSDAY: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study Group; 7:30 p.m. Operations Commission. Women's Evening Circle

FRIDAY: 8 p.m. Annual Christmas Party at the home of Betty Cooper

**South Church**
**United Church of Christ**
**Rev. Dr. Raymond F. Pendleton**
**Interim Senior Pastor**
**35 Central St., Andover**

FRIDAY: 8 p.m. A.A. Meeting

SATURDAY: 7:30 p.m. Christmastolk

SUNDAY: New Member Sunday; 9:15 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 a.m. Worship, Child Care; 11:30 a.m. Coffee Hour; [illegible] p.m. Senior Pilgrim Fellowship

MONDAY: 9:30 a.m. EWIGS; 7:30 p.m. Diaconate, Christian Education, Music Committee

TUESDAY: 9:30 a.m. Bible Study; 6:30 p.m. Treble Chorus; 7 p.m. PNP; 7:30 p.m. Ping Pong; Scouts; Search Committee; Shawsheen Girl Scouts

WEDNESDAY: 6:30 a.m. Mens Fellowship; 9:30 a.m. Bible Study; 4 p.m. Jr. P.F. Church Choir; 7 p.m. Prayer Group; Boy Scouts Troop 56

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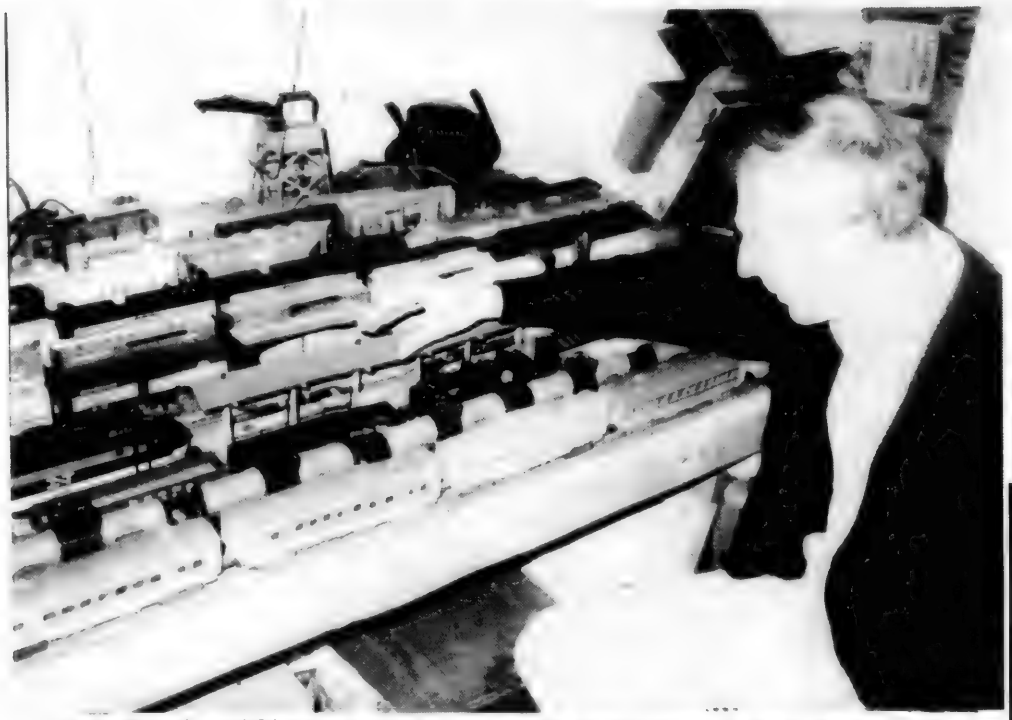

A Christ Church parishioner works on some of the model trains to be on display at the annual Christmas fair at the church this Saturday.

# Yuletide Fair At Church

A Parish Yuletide Fair will be held at Christ Church, 25 Central St., Andover, on Saturday, Dec. 5, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. An Ecumenical service, "Lessons in Carols for Advent," will be held Sunday, Dec. 6, at 4 p.m.

The annual fair is noted for its handcrafted toys, gifts, wreaths, decorations, homebaked goods and gourmet delights. The candy table will feature guessing contests where treats can be won. An antique cider press will be on display with fresh apple cider for sale. A large Lionel train layout, compliments of a local model train enthusiast, will be in the parish hall.

Fiction, biography, history, nature, humor, calendars and health books, all chosen for adult gift giving, will be available at the new book table. The table features children's books in all price ranges. Bibles, prayerbooks and other religious books will be for sale. The Yuletide Fair is grateful to the Andover Bookstore, The Massachusetts Bible Society's Thomas Moore Bookshop, the Andover Historical Society and the Episcopal Church Hymnal Corporation for supplying books and calendars.

Co-chairpersons Lesley Whitley, Debbie Kelly, Debbie Moskal and Mary Robinson have announced that, as always, a portion of the proceeds will be donated to a local, non-profit organization not connected with Christ Church.

Everyone is welcome.

## Lessons And Carols At PA Chapel

The annual Christmas Service of Lessons and Carols will be held Sunday, Dec. 6, at Cochran Chapel, Phillips Academy. The service will begin at 4:30 p.m. with Christmas organ music.

Participants include the Rev. Philip Zaeder, Protestant chaplain; the Rev. Richard Gross, S.J., Roman Catholic chaplain; the Phillips Academy Chrous, under the direction of Christopher Walter and Carolyn Skelton; the Cantata Choir,

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## Consort

The Hammond Castle Museum in Gloucester will present "Much Ado," a Renaissance consort of five players dressed in Renaissance-style costumes and playing period instruments, on Sunday, Dec. 13, at 5:30 p.m.

An annual castle event, this year's program, "A German Renaissance Christmas," will include vocal and instrumental music of the period, including "Lo, How a Rose" and "In Dulci Jubilo."


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## *Advent Tea*

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gress to the actual birth of Jesus, two selections are taken from the Gospels of Luke and Matthew.

Advent hymns and carols which reflect the subject matter of The Word are interspersed between each reading. Many of the hymns have become traditionally associated with the season, but others are not as well known. With the leadership of the parish choirs, the congregation will have the opportunity to sing 11 pieces of music from the Episcopal hymnal, a hymn collection rich in Advent texts.

Three of the hymns are from ancient sources, texts dating before the ninth century and plainsong from the earliest music of the Christian church. Others are from the German, English and French Protestant and Roman Catholic traditions.

The Rev. James A. Diamond, rector of the Parish of Christ Church, will be the officiant for the Lessons and Carols Service. Rhe Rev. Fred Collins, St. Robert Bellarmine Church; the Rev. Gary Cornell, BallardVale United Church; the Rev. David Eaton, Andover Baptist Church; the Rev. Ray Pendleton, South Church; the Rev. Andrew Hamersley, the Rev. Donald Woodward and Susan Lee of Christ Church will present the readings.

Earl L. Miller, director of music at Christ Church, selected the music and will serve as the organist.

The deer botfly has been clocked at a speed of 818 miles per hour. It crosses 400 yards in one second and moves 13 miles in a minute. The deer botfly flies so fast it is almost invisible to the human eye.

## church services...

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p.m. All Church Advent Program.

THURSDAY: 4 p.m. Carol Choir; Handbells; 7:30 p.m. Sanctuary Choir.

### United Methodist

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2nd Sunday in Advent. The Service of the Word 10:30 a.m. The Rev. Gary S. Cornell, preaching..."Advent Pilgrims On The Way To The Manger" Church School: 9:30 a.m. Adults, 10:30 a.m. special Advent-Christmas program, nursery care. Fellowship Time 11:30 a.m. Junior High Youth Fellowship will not meet. Senior High Youth 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY: 7 p.m. Youth Class; 7:30 p.m. Choir Rehearsal.

FRIDAY: 7 p.m. Boy Scouts.

First United Methodist Church
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James G. Todd, Pastor

SUNDAY: 9:30 a.m. Church School; 11 a.m. Worship.

The North Boston Korean United Methodist Church
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Rev. Sung Kim, Pastor

SUNDAY: 10:30 a.m. Bilingual Worship (Korean & English). All racial backgrounds welcome; Special invitation to adopted Korean-Americans and their families; Nursery provided; Sunday School for kindergarten through high school; Coffee and doughnuts for members and visitors following the service.

WEDNESDAY: 7:30 p.m. Bible Study and Prayer.

FRIDAY: 7:30 p.m. Area class meetings for home Bible Study.

SATURDAY: 9 a.m. Korean and English language classes for children and adults.

### Christian & Missionary Alliance

Neighborhood Alliance Church
P.O. Box 190
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Phillip J. Silvia, Pastor

SUNDAY: 9 a.m. Sunday School; 10:30 a.m. Sunday Worship at the North Andover Community Center, 33 Johnson St.

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## *Carols*

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under the direction of Peter Warsaw; the Fidelio Society, under the direction of Susan Lloyd; the Chapel Quartet, under the direction of Carolyn Skelton; a newly-formed Handbell Choir, under the direction of Jennifer Smith; and Carolyn Skelton, school organist.

The Service of Lessons and Carols is derived from ancient sources and celebrated according to its usage at King's College, Cambridge, England. The traditional Christmas readings will be heard and Christmas carols sung and played. Every one is invited.


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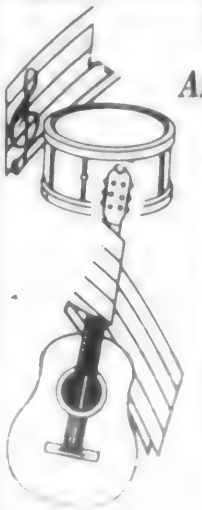

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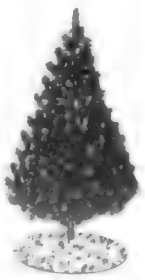

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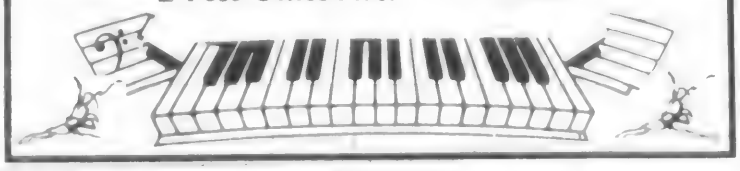



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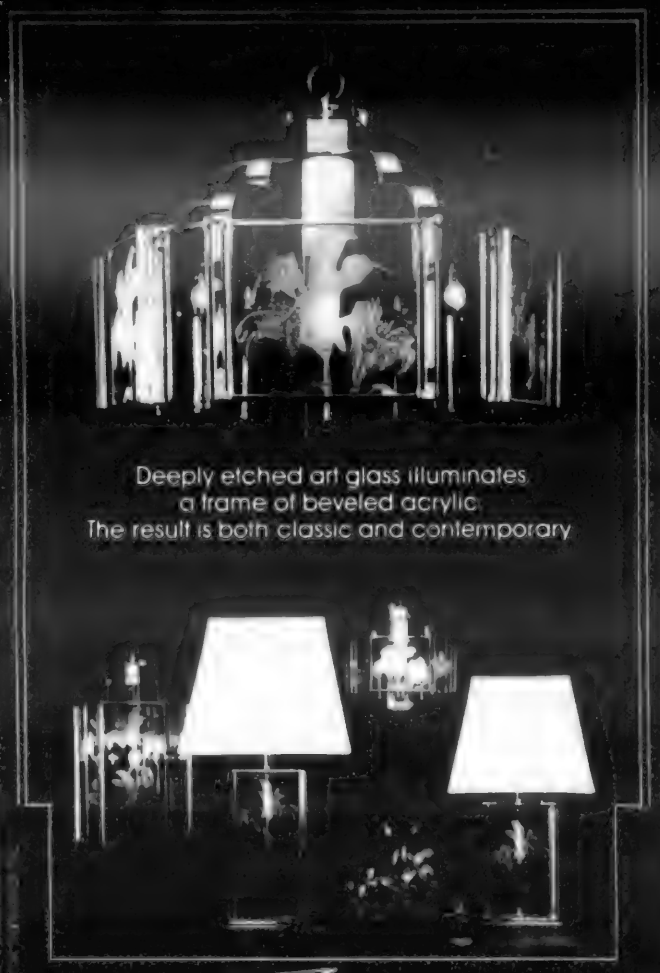

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# OBITUARIES



## James Carter, Sr.

James K. Carter, Sr., 72, 2 Summer St., died November 24, 1987, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Carter was born in Kirkland, New Brunswick, Canada. He was retired from Lawrence Plate and Window Glass Co.

Survivors include his wife, Lynn (Williams) Carter; sons, David F. of Lexington, Okla. and James K. Jr. of Oklahoma City, Okla.; daughters, Mrs. David (Marlene D.) Burley of Mt. Pleasant, N.C. and Mrs. Kenneth (Nancy L.) Eulie of Andover; a brother, Paul C. of British Columbia, Cananda; a sister, Bessie Herrick of Rockport; five grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

## Manuel J. Silva

Manuel J. Silva, 67, of 31 Stevens St. died November 27, 1987 at Lawrence General Hospital.

Born in New Bedford, he was a retired custodian who worked for the Andover schools for 17 years.

A member of St. Augustine parish, Mr. Silva was an Army veteran of World War II and had received the Purple Heart. He was a member of Chapter 18 of the Disabled American Veterans and the Andover Senior Citizens Center.

Mr. Silva also worked 27 years for the Tyer Rubber Co.

He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth P. (Duff) Silva of Andover; a daughter, Mrs. Donald (Patricia) Smith of Sandown, N.H.; two sons, Jeffry J. of Derry, N.H. and Manuel J. Jr. of Reading; and two grandsons, Donald J. Smith II and Kristopher J. Smith.

A mass was celebrated Nov. 30 at St. Augustine Church. Burial was in St. Augustine Cemetery.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association.

## Abraham LeBow

Abraham "Abe" LeBow, 97, of 80B Washington Park, formerly of Lawrence, died November 28, 1987 at Bon Secours Hospital.

Mr. LeBow was a partner in the Lawrence Furniture Co. before his retirement.

He was born in Boston and came to Lawrence in 1912.

Mr. LeBow was one of the founders of Temple Emanuel of Lawrence and served as president during its early years.

He was also a past president of the Lawrence Chamber of Commerce and was an active member of the Knights of Pythias.

He was the husband of Rose (Ricen) LeBow and the late Sadie (Berenson) LeBow.

Aside from his wife, he is survived by a son, Harvey of San Diego, Calif.; a daughter, Arline Hootstein of Newton; a sister, Rose Caron of Brookline; five grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Funeral services were held November 30 at Temple Emanuel, Andover. Burial was in Temple Emanuel Cemetery.

## Bertha A. Sheehan

Bertha A. (Walsh) Sheehan, 81, 89 Morton St., formerly of North Andover and Lawrence, died November 29, 1987 at Academy Manor Nursing Home.

Mrs. Sheehan was born and educated in Holyoke and had lived in North Andover and Lawrence since 1930.

She was the widow of Edward T. Sheehan, Sr. and is survived by daughters, Mrs. James (Mary M.) Duffy of Rochester, N.Y. and Mrs. William (Bertha A.) Casey of Hopkington; sons, Edward T. Jr. of North Andover, John F. of Derry, N.H. and James F. of St. Petersburg, Fla.; a sister, Margaret Clayton of Holyoke; 17 grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.

A mass was held at St. Patrick Church in Lawrence December 2. Burial was in Holy Sepulchre Cemetery in North Andover.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Cancer Society, 853 Main St., Suite 205, Tewksbury, 01876.

## George S. Laaff

George S. Laaff, 79, 81 Reservation Road, died November 26, 1987, at home. Mr. Laaff was a pioneer in plastics.

He worked for General Electric for 17 years before he went to the Bolta Rubber Co. in 1945. He was plastics research director when Bolta was later bought by General Tire and Rubber Co.

Beginning at the time when there were no plastic products in the stores, Mr. Laaff was in charge of developing plastic products.

He consulted with Chrysler Corp. about the possible uses of plastics in automobiles. He served as a volunteer for the International Executive Service Corps, a part of the Agency for International Development. He was sent to developing countries around the world as a consultant.

Mr. Laaff was an avid skiier.

He was born in Cologne, Germany. Survivors include his wife, Marian D. (Davis) Laaff; a son, Jeffrey P. of Salem; daughters, Mrs. Dennis (Carolyn) Nuttall of Newburyport and Friedel Laaff Manresa of Barcelona, Spain; and five grandchildren.

Mr. Laaff's body has been donated to Harvard Medical School for research purposes.

A memorial service was held Sunday, Nov. 29, at West Parish Church.

Contributions may be made for neuropathy research to the Leahy Clinic Medical Center, 41 Mall Road, Burlington.

## Anne J. Preece

Anne J. (Kalson) Preece, 76, 202 Stowe Court, died November 23, 1987, at Lawrence General Hospital

Mrs. Preece was formerly of Melrose. She moved to Andover three years ago.

She was born in Hudson and attended Trinity Episcopal Church of Melrose.

She is survived by a daughter, Linda Jeffery Bennett of North Andover; a son, Robert of West Peabody; a sister, Amelia Griffin of West Springfield; granddaughters, Laurie Preece and Pam Jeffery; grandsons, Andrew Preece and Mark Jeffery; and a niece and nephew.

Funeral services were November 25 at the Trinity Episcopal Church. Burial was in Wyoming Cemetery, Melrose.

## Mei-Yu Hsieh

Mrs. Mei-Yu (Chen) Hsieh, 74, of Hsin-Yi Road, Taiwan, died Saturday at Lawrence General Hospital.

She died unexpectedly while visiting her son, Chung-Chwen Hsieh, 8 Danforth Circle, Andover.

She was born in Taipei, Taiwan. She was the wife of the late Al-Fong Hsieh.

In addition to her son, Chung-Chwen Hsieh of Andover, she is survived by two other sons, Chung-ming Hsieh of Reading, Penn. and Chung-sing Hsieh of Smothtown, N.Y.; a daughter, Shiu Hsieh of Taipei, Taiwan, and two grandchildren.

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the Caron Funeral Home, 30 Main St., North Andover. Cremation was at Linwood Crematory, Haverhill.

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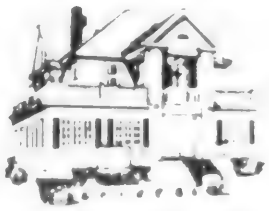

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## Ferdinando Turilli

Ferdinando ("Fred") Turilli, 93, 89 Morton St., died November 23, 1987, at Lawrence General Hospital.

Mr. Turilli was born in Italy. He was formerly of North Reading, where he lived for more than 50 years. He was a self-employed painting contractor before his retirement.

Mr. Turilli was very active in North Reading Town Meeting and was a World War I veteran.

He was the widower of Delphina (Tiberii) Turilli.

Survivors include daughters, Irene Bourne of North Andover, Josephine Doherty of North Reading, Anna Mercuri of Chelmsford, Rose Babine of Andover and Mary Turilli of Stoneham; 11 grandchildren; one great-granddaughter and several nieces and nephews.

A mass was celebrated Nov. 25 at 10 a.m. in St. Theresa Church, North Reading. Burial was in Riverside Cemetery in North Reading.

Memorial contributions may be made to the American Heart Association, 16 Haverhill St., Andover, 01810.

## Shriners

Office Specialists, a leader in the temporary help service industry, has again elected the children of the Shriners Burns Institute in Boston as the benefactors of their fourth annual Ring of Friendship Holiday Promotion.

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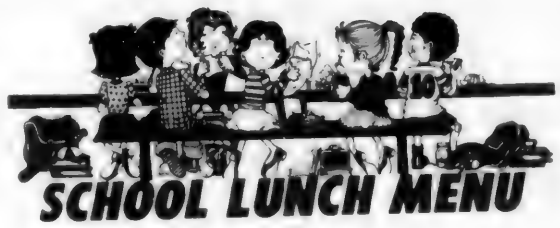


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**TUESDAY:** Cheese pizza, buttered green beans, cheese chunks, raisins, milk. or Bacon, lettuce, tomato on hamburg roll, cheese chunks, French fries, raisins, milk.

**WEDNESDAY:** Steak and cheese sub, buttered corn, potato puffs, catsup, peanut butter cookie, milk. or Veal cutlet sub w/tomato sauce, buttered corn, potato puffs, peanut butter cookie, cobbler, milk.

**THURSDAY:** Taco meat filling with lettuce, tomato and cheese, buttered carrots, Frnch fries, catsup, pudding, milk. or Warrior McMuffin, sausage, egg and cheese on English muffin, buttered carrots, French fries, catsup, pudding, milk.

**FRIDAY:** Fish sandwich on roll, potato puffs, catsup, tartar sauce, buttered peas, fudge brownie, milk. or Hamburger on roll, potato puffs, catsup, buttered peas, fudge brownie, milk.

## Junior Highs

**MONDAY:** Hamburger or cheeseburger on roll, sliced carrots, potato chips, fruit cup, milk. or Turkey or meatball sub, corn, potato chips, fruit cup, milk.

**TUESDAY:** Cheese pizza, mixed vegetables, cheese chunks, raisins, milk. or Fish sandwich or Italian sausage sub w/tomato sauce, catsup, tartar sauce, mixed vegetables, raisins, milk

**WEDNESDAY** Taco meat filling with lettuce, tomato and cheese, corn, potato puffs, catsup, peanut butter cookie, milk. or Cold cut or Warrior McMuffin, sliced carrots, potato puffs, catsup, peanut butter cookie, milk.

**THURSDAY:** Spaghetti w/meatsauce, buttered green beans, bread and butter, pudding w/topping, milk. or B.L.T. or clam strip sub, catsup, potato puffs, buttered green beans, pudding w/topping, milk.

**FRIDAY:** Chicken nuggets w/honey dip, French fries, buttered peas, catsup, bread and butter, fudge brownie, milk. or Tuna salad or veal cutlet sub w/tomato sauce, buttered peas, French fries, catsup, fudge brownie, milk.

## Senior Citizen

**MONDAY:** Baked meatballs w/gravy, potato, vegetable, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

**TUESDAY:** Cup of soup, hot ham and cheese sub, salad, dessert, beverage.

**WEDNESDAY:** Stuffed peppers, potato, buttered vegetable, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

**THURSDAY:** Chicken ala King, potato, vegetable, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

**FRIDAY:** Baked fish, French fries, coleslaw, catsup, tartar sauce, bread and butter, dessert, beverage.

## St. Augustines

**MONDAY:** Hamburger or cheeseburger on a roll, condiments, French fries, frosted cake, milk.

**TUESDAY:** Holy day. No school.

**WEDNESDAY:** Macaroni w/meatsauce, green beans, bread, butter, fruit, milk.

**THURSDAY:** Pizza, niblet corn, potato chips, chocolate cake, milk.

**FRIDAY:** Soup, tuna salad roll, carrot sticks, potato chips, cake, milk.

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# 766 Report Recommends More Staffers

By Frank Messina

It was a slow process, but eventually a few of the issues surrounding the 766 special education study report were cleared up at the Andover School Committee meeting Tuesday night.

After a year of research, the group of parents who compiled the 766 report recently presented their findings to the committee. Chief among the recommendations made were suggestions that several additional staff members be hired and an advocate be added to represent parent/student interests.

Additionally, a small group of parents, some of whom participated in the report, last week sent a letter to committee members requesting consideration for an outside consultant to evaluate the Andover special education program.

While carefully adopting the role of mediator between the parents and school administration, the school committee spelled out their position on these and other key points during a discussion that lasted almost 90 minutes.

Although committee members recognized the need for a liason between parents and school teachers and officials, they rejected the idea of paying for a parent/student advocate.

Parents spoke at the meeting in favor of the advocate's role, one describing it as a way to represent "the best interest of students who are at times at odds with the system."

The advocate would also be a way to bridge the gap between special and regular education, parents said. An advocate would ideally work with teachers and parents to make sure the needs of both were being met. An advocate would also provide continuity, getting to know the children and their needs over the years, another parent commented.

However, "I don't think it is the responsibility of the Andover system to fund an advocate to buck the system," said committee Chairman Susan Poore.

Poore said she sympathized with parents who hesitated to follow the appeal outline set by the state, calling it "almost a judicial process."

Both Poore and special education administrator Mary French agreed that conflicts arise between parents and teachers/administrators, but "I think we need another kind of sounding board," other than a school-paid advocate, French said.

Committee member Donald Robb suggested that "we can all help out staff be more flexible. What I guess I'm sensing is that we need to be more consistent in our efforts.

"For a lot of kids it's as much a matter of when you're puzzled with some question, who's the first person you're going to go to?"

Parents who support hiring additional staff have recognized it is un-

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# Assistant Principal Moves Up A Notch

## *Wilbur Hixon Wants To Increase Morale, Academic Excellence*

By Melissa M. De Meo

The 1,066 students at Andover High School have a new principal, and he wants to be available to all of them.

"I don't want to fall into the trap that most principals fall into—spending a lot of time behind the desk writing letters, filling out forms, holding meetings," said Wilbur Hixon, who was named principal by a unanimous vote of the school committee last Wednesday. "I want to be visible."

Superintendent of Schools Kenneth Seifert nominated Hixon, assistant principal of the high school for 14 years to the principal's post, vacant since Mary Athey Jennings resigned at the end of last school year.

"I wouldn't say I was 100 percent surprised," Hixon said about last Tuesday morning, when Seifert told him of the nomination. "It's not so much the element of surprise as it is 'Thank goodness this process is over. Now I have a chance to put some of my ideas into a work.' "

Hixon applied for the post Aug. 6. He was interviewed first by a screening committee of parents, faculty and administrators, then with Seifert, then with the school committee.

The committee's questions were the most grueling, Hixon said, because they were hypothetical. "This is my 29th year (in the school system). I couldn't fool anybody, so many people on those committees know me. A stranger can be very philosophical; I had to be Will Hixon in my answers."

Apparently, Will Hixon impressed the administration. "I think it was an extremely positive choice," Seifert said. "He has the support of the faculty and a vision of where the school should go. The faculty supports him enthusiastically, which was clearly shown by the three-minute standing ovation he was given" at the special committee meeting last Wednesday when his appointment was announced.

Susan Poore, school committee chairman, said Hixon is the right choice. He "is very well-respected. He is someone who knows the school

Townsman photo by Jerry Bligh

**The new principal at the end of his first day on the job.**

and knows the community," said Poore, adding, "There will be no 'getting to know you' period, which we very much wanted to avoid. I think he was head and shoulders above the rest."

Hixon came from six years of teaching and coaching experience in New Hampshire, where he grew up and was educated (he received bachelor's and master's degrees at Plymouth State College), to Andover High School in 1959. Although he was a little disappointed that the school was more interested in his skills as a basketball coach than as a teacher, within a year he was made head of the history department.

In February 1970 he resigned his department post and went back to regular teaching. "We were growing rapidly. I was coaching three sports (basketball, football and golf), besides being head of the department. It wasn't fair to spread yourself too thin."

In 1973 Hixon became assistant principal, and he only stopped coaching basketball five years ago. He still misses the teaching.

"Anyone that makes the plunge into administration, the one thing they really feel doesn't satisfy them—you really miss teaching. And I'm thankful to faculty members who occasionally invite me to teach their classes."

The direct contact with students in his teaching and coaching days helped him in his administrative jobs, Hixon said. "It's important to understand students outside the confines of the building."

Hixon was one of the few administrators in Massachusetts who also had a coaching role. That was just part of the reason he was recently inducted into the state's Basketball Coaches Hall of Fame.

As assistant principal, Hixon's job was supervising the school's disciplinary codes. "It's a difficult role," he said. "No one likes discipline, but if you administer it fairly and with reason, they'll accept it."

Hixon said he's received letters of support from past students and parents of students who have been called into his office for various offences. "The decisions that have been made in this office may not have been popular at the time, but many sent cards and letters saying they hoped I'd get the job. And that's rewarding."

Now that Hixon is one step higher, he has a number of plans. One priority is to "build on the morale that's been very, very evident in school this year. I haven't seen it this high in many years. It starts with the adults and spreads to the students."

He also wants to keep the attendance rate high. The rate for the past quarter was 98.1. "That's unheard of in any school in Massachusetts," he said. "I feel you can't have excellence in education if they're not here."

Hixon said he's going to try to "put together a strong core curriculum with high minimum

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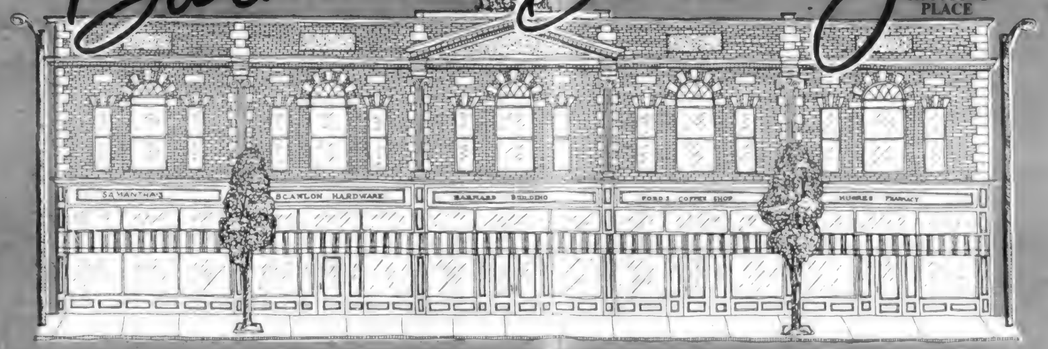


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# OPINION

THE TOWNSMAN, DECEMBER 3, 1987

## In The Holiday Spirit

'Tis the season for enjoyment and celebration and fortunately here in Andover there is much to be festive about, beginning of course with a congratulatory note to the Andover High Girls Soccer team.

The female Warrior booters certainly gave their fans and the town something to be proud of this year, ultimately tying for the state championship in a game which went seven overtime periods in Worcester.

Prior to the finals, the young ladies won games by scores of 1-0 also with some of the contests being in overtime.

We well recognize that the capturing of the state title represents a team effort and certainly the Lady Warriors exemplified that attribute and what it takes to be champions.

But, it seems appropriate to single out a couple of people who seemed to be the driving force toward keeping the team in the thick of the title pursuit. Goalie Karen DelSarto, a senior, sparkled as she made save after save throughout tournament play, capturing not only local attention but that of others as well, including the Boston media. And, Kim Heseltine seemed to come through when needed on many occasions, being the only scorer in those 1-0 games.

While these two particular individuals were standouts, suffice to say they would be the first to say that the season and its most successful conclusion was a team effort and with that we'll agree.

Congratulations and thanks for a fine season.

While on the subject of Andover High, let's add our good wishes to the many which have been extended to the new principal, Wil Hixon.

A dedicated teacher and coach at the high school for many years, Hixon appointed principal last week by the school committee on recommendation of Supt. of Schools Kenneth R. Seifert.

Hixon has served as assistant principal for many years with particular attention to discipline. Now he will have the opportunity to combine that work with educational leadership for which he seems well equipped.

All of which should only improve the education climate at Andover High School.

While on the subject of passing out plaudits, let's not overlook the Andover firefighters for their annual reception and parade greeting Santa Claus this past Sunday.

Repetitious as it may seem, it must be said that the Andover firefighters annually outdo themselves in this effort.

Jut when one gets the idea that Santa's greeting can't be topped, they do it again.

This year's parade was an absolute delight attested to by the festive crowds which lined the parade route to enjoy the bands, floats, marching units and, of course, Santa himself. And, of course, topping off the Sunday festivities was the annual Family Day program conducted by the Andover Center Association, a division of the Andover Chamber of Commerce.

It was a truly family-type atmosphere which prevailed throughout the business area. There were opportunities to contribute to various causes remembering those less fortunate during this holiday season. Bargains were offered in stores, refreshments were available and there was just a general, happy feeling about the afternoon program.

Best of all was the tone of the program which was an annual effort by Andover's merchants to say thank you to their many friends and customers for their continued support throughout the year.

And, that certainly exemplified the holiday spirit.

# DOWN THE YEARS

**75 Years Ago — December 1912**

Many people who were unable to procure tickets for the Barnstormers play Tuesday night attended Monday night's dress rehearsal.

Dr. Brewer Eddy, assistant secretary of the American Board of Foriegn Missions gave an interesting address on missionary work in India at Phillips Academy last Sunday evening.

Indian Ridge Rebekah Lodge held a regular meeting on Monday evening. Officers for the coming years were nominated and other regular business was transacted. The election will be held at the next meeting.

The Farther Lights society of the Baptist Church met on Monday evening of this week at the home of Mrs. Harry Taylor. After an interesting hour was spent on the study of China, a social was enjoyed and refreshments served.

**50 Years Ago — December 1937**

The town hall will be a gay and joyous place next Tuesday when the Christ Church bazaar will be held and while just at present only bare leafless trees proclaim the winter season, inside the town hall, one will be reminded that winter and Christmas are on the way.

A special vesper service will be held Sunday afternoon at four at the Free Church, with the well known radio speaker, Rev. Alexander Henderson of Lowell, giving an

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## Just A Thought

By Bob Finneran

When the turkey soup arrives at the table, there is a solid indication that the Thanksgiving feast is mercifully over.

Even the dog was beginning to cackle a little by late Tuesday.

But the holiday and its festive board poses questions sometimes.

Such inquiry could center on the matter of whether in fact there is meat in the mince meat pie, a delectible conclusion to the Thanksgiving and Christmas dinner.

Checked it out rather thoroughly this past week and found raisins, citron, other goodies, but no evidence of beef, pork or any other semblence of meat in the mince meat pie.

I'm not trying to become a gourmet, or anything like that, but such thoughts kind of provided some relief on the holiday as the digestive juices attempted to absorb the usual overstuffing of the system.

Don't really like getting into such things as personal life, because, frankly, I don't think anyone is particularly interested.

But had a couple of unusual things happen this week I'd like to share.

First of all my phone rings so seldom at home, that Nynex claims a deducation at the end of the year on its tax report.

Monday night, however, I got a call from a chimney sweep outfit and sure-fire time sharing plan any person in their right mind couldn't resist, but I did. These people were probably aware that I've just done the bathroom over. Brought it inside.

But the next one was a real winner.

Phone rings, the 'hello' response is answered by a female voice asking 'where are you.'

'I'm here,' I replied.

'Where's there,' she questioned.

'Where are you?' I asked.

'Upstate New York. I've got this phone bill with your number on it four times and I want to know where you live, I'm Mrs. (identifying herself), and I want to know where you live.'

'Massachusetts, northeast area.'

Near the IRS'?'

'Next town over.'

'Thank you, I've been having trouble reaching them, now I know why.'

And all because I referred to that august federal agency as the Infernal Revenue Service a few weeks ago.

The real beaut was Tuesday at noon, a time when the phone hasn't rung since Andover had a slum area.

Person says 'Mr. Finneran, this is (name withheld) cleaners, you have the wrong pants.'

Taken somewhat aback, because everything seemed to fit, I informed her that what I picked up last week all seemed to be in order.

'Can't be,' she said. 'You must have a pair of light blue pants. Go look in your closet, please.'

Under such circumstances, I dutifully reported to the closet, found nothing there resembling light blue, and reported same.

'You have to have them because the tickets are mixed up with yours.'

Unable to convince the person I don't have any light blue pants anywhere, I'm thinking of retaining a police guard for the property before I have to drive to work on North Main Street in Andover in embarassment.

# THE PUBLIC FORUM



## Letters

### Appreciative

**To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:**

We, the family of Warren "Buster" Deyermond, would like to thank all who participated in the dedication of the new athletic field.

It is a great honor to his memory and for the Deyermond family. Let us not just remember him, but all those men and women who died and are missing.

The Deyermond Family

### Not Valid Sample

**To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:**

Andover again is the center of attention as the statement made that "Andover residents are like ostriches" comes back to haunt us. Why would anyone of reasonable intelligence make that statement to the press after an inteview of only 30 people?

Andover has a population of 27,000, which means they interviewed .1 percent of the people. But, the important point here is that this was not a statistically valid sample as they were not chosen randomly. So, I am left to wonder why these particular 30 people? Would they just substantiate the already predetermined outcome? I also wonder what the taxpayers paid for this absurdity.

Now Andover is flocked with bad publicity and laughed at by other communities, but worst of all, our children are left to defend themselves, their families and their town to these communities because of this pointless report.

Pat Vucurevich
Andover Resident

### Feeling Ashamed

**To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:**

recently I read an article on the town meeting in which people voiced their responses to the collaborative school. "What's in it for Andover?" "Why should we help Lawrence?" "Will the curriculum still be as strong for us?" all echo through my head as I write this. Hearing these comments made me feel ashamed.

Firstly, why must we always make the bottom line what are we getting in return? These selfish iterations at the town meeting reflect this.

Andover has a wonderful curriculum. I know—I spent seven years of my life in its elementary program. But there was always something missing as the role call bellowed out the Smiths, Jones and Walshes, which I was not aware of at the time—to me all that existed were people just like me. What was missing was diversity. All of the other students were from upper or middle class white Christian families. What I missed out on was learning about people from different cultural and religious backgrounds and economic classes, how they lived, what they believed, what their customs were—not by reading about them in books, either, but by living with representatives of those cultures side by side, day by day, learning with them and from them. But the mystery and, therefore, the fear of those different groups subsisted.

Luckily, my higher education made up for these discrepancies, but I believe a collaborative school at the elementary level is such an important part of the learning process and an integral part of eliminating the biases we have towards the less fortunate population of Lawrence. Not only would we be sharing the good fortune of our strong curriculum in a collaborative school, but we would be allowing our children of Andover the upper hand of awareness and appreciativeness of the diversity that makes up this world.

The curriculum will not lose strength, but gain it as more important lessons will be learned without books as we integrate the world's of Lawrence and Andover. I have confidence in the collaborative school and wish I could be one of the first to volunteer. I hope that it thrives and other towns take example so that some day my kids may enjoy the benefits of a collaborative school.

Julia Moran Morton

### Opposition Growing

**To The Editor Of The TOWNSMAN:**

For weeks now the opposition to the collaborative school on the Andover/Lawrence line has been growing. What started as a few lone voices has become a major community concern. Even with the negative press the Citizens for Neighborhood Schools has been receiving, their phones are still ringing daily with more and more town residents wishing to volunteer their time or services to help stop this project.

At what point do the officials of this town begin to listen to their constituency? As a concerned citizen for neighborhood schools, I am just that...concerned with our neighborhood schools. Concerned with my children's education and their future.

As Dr. Seifert would like to see, I am concerned for the school within my community. Why then does he insist that a regional school would be better?

As a resident taxpayer, I would like to see my tax dollars enhancing the present and future system in the Andover community school system. My motivation is selfish, I want the best for my children's future. If you feel as I do, then let your elected officials know. Stand up and be heard. Attend school committee meetings, PTO meetings, organizational meetings. Make the time for your child's future. Learn all the facts and then decide for yourself. Do you want a neighborhood school for your children or do you want a regional one? You be the judge.

Myrna Lee Jaffe
Candlewood Drive

### Be More Open Minded

**To The Editor Of the TOWNSMAN:**

One of the major reasons my wife and I decided to move to Andover a few years ago was the school system; we have a young family and believe strongly in public school education.

Yet, there is a drawback to living in a relatively affluent community; our children, in many respects, grow up in a rather homogeneous, unrealistic environment. Except for what they learn second or third hand, they have little, if any exposure to what life is like for middle Americans (not to mention the poor) or just how diverse in people and culture we really are. Fortunately, we live in a neighborhood of young families whose parents, for the most part, are rather unpretentious, share our concerns and try to instill a sense of perspective in their children. Try as we might to broaden their horizons, however, there are obvious limits to what can be accomplished through discussions, books, television and the local schools, regardless of how good they might be.

I, therefore, greeted the proposal for the collaborative school with enthusiasm for it has the potential both to provide a quality education in the basics and to effectively open up much more of the world to our children. It's important that they understand that most people do not live in single family neighborhoods with manicured lawns; however, it's equally significant they understand that the world is very diverse and comprised of different peoples, ideas, languages, cultures and traditions.

On a more practical note, our children will exist in a world much differnt than ours; increasingly, life in America is being affected by other cultures and other peoples. Fuel costs are dictated by events in the Mid-East. Interst rates fluctuate based on decisions made in Tokyo. What neighborhood does not have its share of foreign cars? And today you

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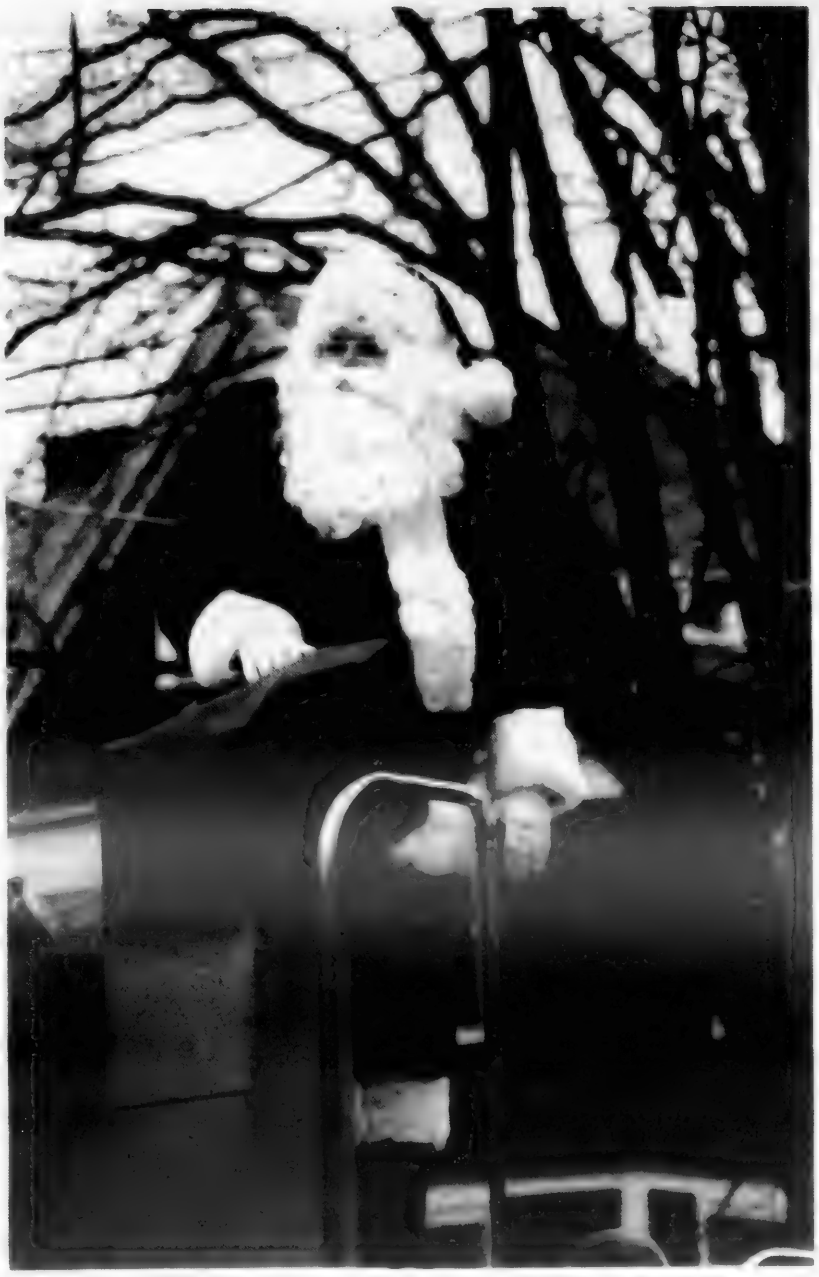

Allison Lemoine, daughter of Gary and Ellen Lemoine of NorthAndover, is supported by her father as clown Jonathan Fusco, 9, gives her candy.

Toots Christofferson helps LeeAnn Krafton, 7, and her brother, Dicky, 4, of Union Street make a donation to The LawrenceEagle-Tribune's Santa Fund.

# Starting The Holidays With A Bang

Above, Henry "Hank" George plays drums for the Order of the Sons of Italy, which was represented in Sunday's parade. At right, the championship Andover High School marching band play holiday songs.

Townsman photos

by Jerry Bligh

# Lady Warriors Win State Championship

By Jay Saunders

In two games this past week the Andover High School girls' varsity soccer team climbed to the top of the state, winning the Division I championship at Worcester Polytechnic Institute in Worcester.

The semifinal match was against a skilled, fast Needham club. The Lady Warriors had to work hard to thwart the quick, accurate passing of the south sectional champions. Needham's midfield matched well against Fitzpatrick, Doran, Carothers, Saunders, Radulski and Jangro. Neither team as able to establish clear dominance in the middle third of the field.

Offensively Andover pressed hard with senior Kim Heseltine leading the way. Forwards Cassily, Gianelly, Lynch and Berberian kept the defense off balance with hard aggressive play. With four minutes to go in the half Heseltine lofted a shot over the goalie. Doran got the assist.

The level of play became more intense in the second half. Seniors Michela Corkery and Beth Howe were outstanding with Howe's aggressive play setting a tone of unrelenting pressure. Senior keeper Karen Del Sarto rallied the defense with save upon save. The final minutes belonged to the defense as sophomores Cronin and Duffy teamed with the seniors to preserve the win and advance the team to the finals.

Andover faced Agawam in the finals, a team that had only seen one defeat in 20 games. They were fast, skilled and physical. The match was fought in the middle two-thirds of the field as neither team allowed significant attacking opportunities.

For Andover's seniors, this was their last game. As throughout the season, the leadership and play of Corkery, Del Sarto, Howe and Heseltine set the standard.

In midfield, the play of junior Kerry Fitzpatrick set a pace that Saunders, Doran, Radulski, Jangro and Carothers equalled. The strong Andover midfield was pivotal, delaying and stopping Agawam's offense and initiating quick counterattacks.

The game moved through regulation and four 11 aside overtimes, the last two sudden death. Andover's forward line of Heseltine, Cassily, Lynch, Berberian and Gianelly increased the pressure on a tiring Agawam defense.

Three more overtimes, the final one left only Del Sarto, Corkery, Cronin, Duffy and Fitzpatrick on the field. The score stood 0-0 at the final wistle. Andover and Agawam were declared co-champions.

Coach Dick Loschi and captains Michela Corkery and Karen Del Sarto have done an outstanding job in leading these young women from a group of players to a championshp team.

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## Children's Art

The Bancroft School in Andover and the Arlington School in Lawrence, under the auspices of the Andover/Lawrence Collaborative Project, have combined their efforts to produce an art exhibit comprised of self-portraits drawn by students in the art class. These portraits on display in the new Children's Room at Memorial hall Library were arranged by Dolores Dunning, art teacher at Bancroft School. The students involved in the exhibit are William Dela Cruz, Ingnacio Abreu, Manuel Santiago, Erika Woods, Titania Richards, Adonis Martinez DeJesus, Donny Ortiz, Timothy Jones, Diane Hann, Debbie Luis, Buffy Sontag, Julie Jackson, Seth Patterson, Jeff Debeers, Missy DeWitt, Willie Hall, Amy Stetson, Steve Carter, Danielle King and Derek Regan.

### Great Books

The Great Books Discussion Group will meet Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 7:30 p.m. at the library to discuss "Lysistra" by Aristophanes. This is the last meeting of the fall series. The group will reconvene in January to start a new series on women in Greek drama.

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# Farewell To Warriors Of '87

By Stephen F. D'Urso

For the second time within five days, the Andover Golden Warrior football team was beaten by a team over which they were highly favored.

An excellent and hyped North Andover squad with Super Bowl aspirations outplayed the Warriors 21-6 on Saturday, the 21st, at Lovely Field, in -25° wind-chill weather.

A downpour and resulting quagmire on Thanksgiving Day greeted the host and upset-minded Central Caholic Red Raiders and the Warriors who seemed bent on reestablishing their credibility as a division 2 powerhouse. Alas, the weather and Raiders won 7-0.

In the first half Andover fumbled twice, but their defense, as it did all day, held. The offense had awo key penalties, both for illegal procedure, one on fourth and inches at the 50-yard line (they then punted) and the other on first and goal from the CCHS one where they ultimately botched their lone scoring opportunity by missing a field goal as the scoreless half wound down. On the latter penalty, the team was victimized by the referee who blew his whistle to start the clock after the team had set. When the line raised up to the sound of the belated whistle, they were unjustly and erroneously called.

The rain intensified in the second half and both teams were inefficient. Then, with about seven minutes left, Andover was attempting to punt from their own end zone but the kick was blocked. The Raiders rushed it in on first and goal from the one. No serious threat was raised thereafter as Central pulled off the biggest MVC upset of the year.

With editorial license and on behalf of all Andover High fans this writer/parent would like to thank the Warriors for an excellent season. In good weather the multi-talented team was 7-0, outscoring opponents 18-6-49. In the mud and/or 40-mph winds, they were 0-3 and outscored 42-8. The team gave us many thrills including all-star performances on offense by Perry, Arsenault, McCue and the "great" line (Jersey, Boo-Boo, Hefti, Chic and Dunc) and season-long clutch performances by Carleton, DeMarco, Onufer and Murray. The defense was "awesome." All year they overcame adversities and gave up an average of only 9.1 points/game. I'll always remember the two goal line stands against Chelmsford. The special teams were also excellent with notable performances by Surette, Vehlow, Weiner, Murphy, McAnally, Lopresti and Dalton. Under slightly different circumstances they could have been in Foxboro on December 5, but regardless, we thank you for the excitement, wish you the best of luck for the rest of your lives and ask you to remember fondly the camaraderie of your winning years at AHS. At my house we will always remember the pre-game pasta feeds and the post-game celebrations.

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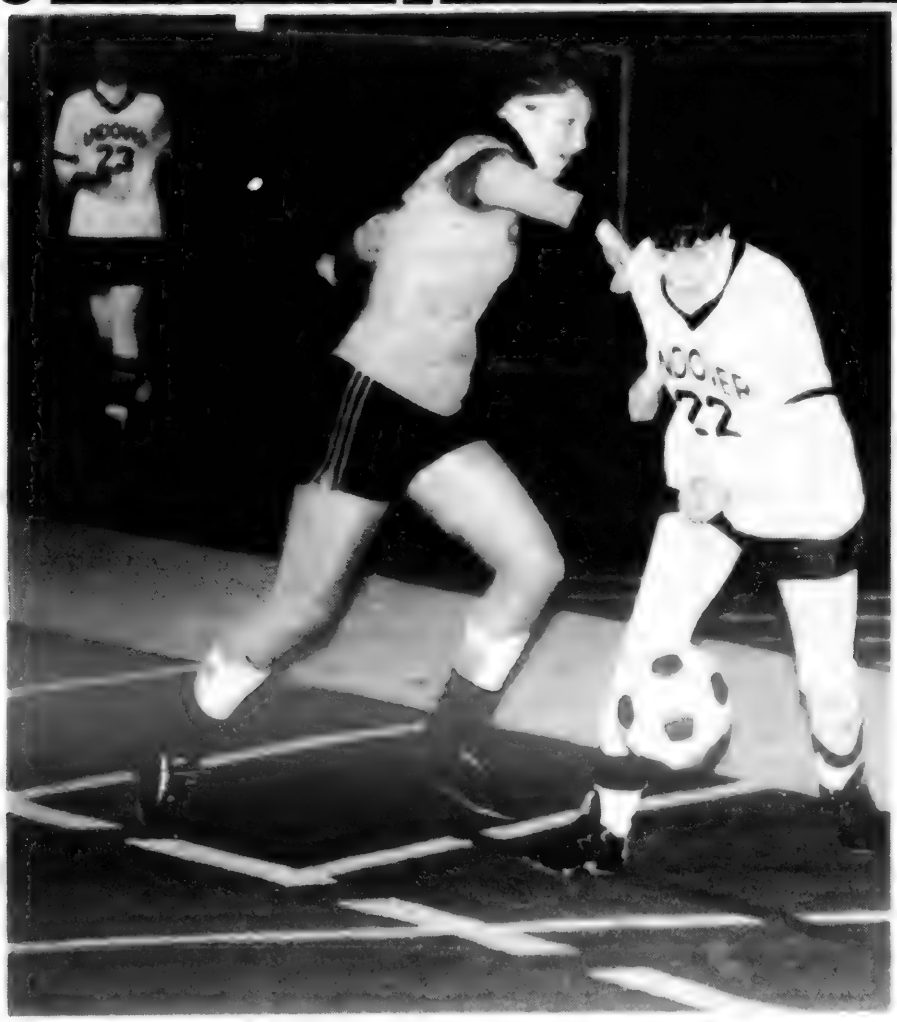

Andover's Kim Heseltine controls the ball down the sidelines with pressure from an Agawam player.

Goalie Karen Del Sarto kicks away after another save.

The team's mascot, Midget, proudly wears a soccer shirt and traveled to Worcester for the game. With Midget are Amy Pierro, 12, and Margaret Cronin cheering on their team.

# Congratulations Lady Warriors

Michela Corkery, Karen Del Sarto, Kim Heseltine, Beth Howe, Tanya Kachen, Stephanie Melillo, Sharon Petzold, Krissie Carothers, Shaleen Cassily, Kerry Fitzpatrick, Michelle Meli, Kathleen Radulski, Mina Sheel, Lisa Berberian, Brenna Cronin, Michelle DiStefano, Kathy Doran, Andrea Duffy, Suzanne Gianelly, Jodi Jangro, Erin Lynch, Nicole Ricci, Jodi Saunders, Michelle Vetrano, Beth Cronin, Diane Hevehan, Debbie Donovan, Tricia Doyle, Ann Larsen, Megan Simpson, Kara Slavin.

Townsman photos by Jerry Bligh

# Northern Middlesex Takes Pair From Bantam B Gold

Andover jumped to a quick lead with two goals in the first three and one-half minutes of play on a unassisted goal by Kevin Smith and a second goal by Jay Coburn, assisted by Joey Ligouri. Northern Middlesex countered with two goals so the first period ended with the score tied.

A combination of outstanding skating by Northern Middlesex and Andover's lack of concentration allowed four goals by the opponents before John Melillo scored at 2:18 of the second period. Jim Demers collected an assist on a fine pass.

Andover outscored their opponents three to one in the final period. Coburn scored his second goal of the contest on assists from Kevin Smith and Melillo. Kenny Leng scored a pair of goals on a pair of assists from Chris Pothier. The lone Northern Middelsex goal in the period came on an open net. The final score was 8-6.

Andover lost 4-1 in the second pairing of the day against Northern Middlesex. Michael DeStafano scored the only Andover goal during the secondperiod, assisted by Ligouri. Holding a powerful skating team to only four goals is a credit to defensemen Jonathan Shine, Kevin Smith, Leng and John Constantine and outstanding goaltending by Dan Waitkivitch.

Bob Smith, after a three-year absence from the association, has returned as head coach and done an outstanding job. With few exceptions, the team has been extremely competitive going into last weekend's competition with a 6-13-2 record.

Andover trailed Malden by two goals until midway in the second period when Melillo scored an unassisted goal. A little over a minute later Smith scored a power-play goal on a booming slap shot from the blue line on a feed from Melilo. Peter Vaill, not playing for several weeks because of an injury, found the net for the go-ahead goal. Melillo picked up his second assist of the game. The defensive pairings of Smith and Bob Dalton and Leng and Jonathan Shine did a fine job of holding Malden shooters at bay for the first two periods.

Although Andover's wings and centers put considerable pressure on the Malden goalie during the third period, the lone Andover score came on a power play goal by Leng as he and Mike DeStefano worked hard to free the puck in front of the net for the score. DeStefano picked up a hard-earned assist. The game was tied, but Malden scored two unanswered goals in the final six minutes for a 6-4 loss for Andover.

In the second matchup of Andover's two Bantam B teams this season, the Gold came away with a 2-1 victory, although the Blue team outsized them.

The Blue scored first, late in the second period on a nice goal by Danny Feeley with assists going to Thistle and Himber. Both teams checked well and played a strong defensive game. Only one penalty was called against the Blue late in the third period.

A good defensive play by Jay Coburn took the point shooter out of the play and allowed Leng's pass to get to Pothier for his first goal. His second goal, assisted by Melillo and Coburn, came only 13 seconds later, which turned out to be the game winner.


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## Peewee A's Split

The Andover Peewee A hockey team split a pair of league contests this past weekend.

They downed Tewksbury 10-1 in a Valley League game. Dan McKew led the way with a three-goal hat trick along with two assists. Winger Dan Trede scored two goals and assisted on four others while Benji Ristuccia had three assists.

Also scoring were Jay Stella (2 goals, 1 assist), Ryan Lynch (2 goals) and Brendan Finneran. Adam Gurry played an outstanding game and picked up an assist.

Goalie Fred Sunderland was strong in the net. His shutout bid was lost late in the game.


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From left, Meredith Kattar, David Lane, pro, and Russell Ahern, who will be participating in golf tourney representing Indian Ridge Country Club.

# In Tourney

The Indian Ridge Country Club will meet the Bellevue Country Club in a first-round match of the Tucker Anthony Golf Classic Sunday, Dec. 6, at 7 p.m. Sixteen teams will compete in the series videotaped at Holly Ridge Golf Club, South Sandwich, Cape Cod.

Professonal David Lane and amateur partners Meredith Kattar and Russell Ahern will represent the Indian Ridge Country Club. The professionals will compete for $6,800 in prize money and $10,000 will be donated to the Francis Ouimet Caddy Scholarship Fund for any amateur making a hole in one.

Fred Cusick, Derek Sanderson and Clive Fazioli will be the commentators for the series. NESN will broadcast this program on Monday, Dec. 7, and Friday, Dec. 11, at 10 p.m.

# Bantam B Gold Wins

Ken Leng put the Bantam B Gold team on the scoreboard with a well executed, unassisted goal only two minutes into the first period. Tewksbury countered with their one and only goal to the short side of the net two-thirds through the first period. John Melillo scored a short-handed, unassisted goal on the screened Tewksbury goalie.

Andover's defense played an outstanding game, allowing only one goal. There was plenty of contact provided by Jonathan Shine, John Constantine and Kevin Smith.

Jim Demers played center for the first time and quite well. A little over two minutes into the second period, he scored on a persistent play in front of the net with Will Dunning who assisted him on the goal.

The forwards played an excellent forechecking and backchecking game, not allowing Tewksbury to take the puck in deep. When they did, Dan Waitkivitch was ready with some fine saves in goal. Chris Pothier, Bob Dalton, Jay Coburn and Joey Liguori hustled on wing.

The scoring was topped off, with a little over a minute remaining in the third period, by a goal from Dunning, assisted by Smith, for the Andover win.

## At Conference

Mary Wassick, aerobics director, and Maureen crompton, aerobics instructor from Cedardale Athletic Club in Ward Hill attended the three-day International Dance-Exercise Association (IDEA) Educational Conference in Washington, D.C.

They took part in lectures, workshops and activity sessions on low impact aerobics, injury prevention, music selection and effective teaching techniques.

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# Peewee B Results

Andover's Peewee B's recorded two wins and three losses over the last two weeks. After dropping a 7-0 game against Peabody, they recorded a well-played 4-2 victory over Methuen. Andover jumped to a quick lead as Sean Donohue scored at 2:10 of the first period, unassisted. Benji Ristuccia scored at the five-minute mark, unassisted. Methuen made it 2-1 before Mike Lombard scored to make it 3-1 at the end of the period. Jay Stella added one more in the next period. Methuen scored one more time, but could not find a way to beat Fred Sunderland who was in goal for Andover.

Andover was shut out 4-0 by an aggressive team from Pentucket the night before Thanksgiving. Andover played one of its best games of the season in a 3-1 victory over Woburn III on Saturday afternoon at Hockey Town. It took late third-period goals by Darrin Cianci, assisted by Lombard, and Brendan Sheehy, unassisted, to move Andover away from a 1-1 tie to the victory. Andover jumped to a 1-0 lead late in the first period when Jason Loomer scored off a setup by Sheehy during a power play. After a scoreless second period, Woburn tied the score on a power play of their own. John Brodbine, Ryan Doyle, Doug Batchelder and Dan Kenny played superb defense in shutting down Woburn throughout the game. Phil Smith had a hot game in goal and Mark Pirri turned in a good defensive performance on the Lombard-Cianci line.

Andover dropped its final game of the weekend to Ipswich by a 4-2 score Sunday at Methuen High School. Andover had to play catchup all night as Ipwswich jumped to a 1-0 lead on a three-on-none attack on goalie Smith. Sheehy tied the game at 1-1 a minute later. With Ipswich up 3-1, Cianci scored, assisted by Lombard, to close the gap only to see Ipswich get an insurance goal for the win.

## New Center

St. John's Hospital in Lowell announced the opening of a new center dedicated to the diagnosis and treatment of osteoporosis, a disease resulting in the loss of bone strength severe enough to cause fractures.

Dr. Daniel J. O'Connor, Jr., chief of radiology at St. John's and head of the new center, said that osteoporosis affects 15 to 20 million people, most commonly women, and is accountable for 1.3 million fractures each year, resulting in an annual health care cost of more than $4 billion annually.

The new facility is the first in Massachusetts to use a recently developed revolutionary technology called Quantitiative Digital Radiography (QDR) that precisely determines a patient's bone mineral status. This technology has higher precision, faster scanning time, higher image resolution and lower radiation dose compared to other earlier methods.

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# Andover Cruises By Billerica

The Andover Bantams II cruised by a hard-hitting Billerica team. Tight checking kept Billerica's offense from getting a shot on net during the first period. Andover went up 1-0 with 1:52 left in the first with a goal by Ed Thistle, assisted by Jamie Foley.

Billerica came back in the second period with many opportunities to score but Andover's defense, Foley, Gerry D'Angelo, Jamie Himber, Todd Allard and Paul Allard, kept them at bay. Allard passed the puck to Pete O'Shea at 7:03 of the second period and O'Shea scored.

Billerica came back to make the score 2-1 but Sean Darwin had an unassisted goal late in the second period.

The third period was all Andover with great passing by Keogh Lutsch, Bob Dalton and Thistle. Darwin tipped in a sizzling shot from the point by Paul Allard, putting Andover up 4-1. With 6:02 left in the game, Todd Allard and D'Angelo worked the puck up to Dalton who made a shift at the line to get the puck to Thistle who scored the final goal of the game. Goalie Bob Kenny's excellence in net gave Andover a 5-1 win.

## Workshops

Application workshops for those interested in summer employment at Lowell National Historical Park will be held Friday, Dec. 18, in the Park Visitor Center conference room at Market Mills, corner of Market and Dutton Streets, Lowell, from 10 a.m. to 7 p.m. Interested applicants may attend anytime during those hours to receive assistance


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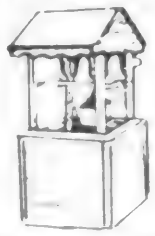

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## *AMC Hike Sunday*

The Andover Committee of the Appalachian Mountain Club is conducting a hike along the Shawsheen River Sunday, Dec. 6. The group will meet at the Ballardvale railroad station at 1:30 p.m. The five-mile hike will follow the riverbank and cross the Indian Ridge Reservation and Baker's Meadow. This hike is open to the public at no charge. For more information contact Lomer or Pat Pothier.

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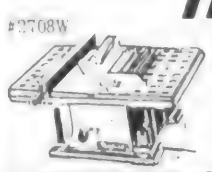

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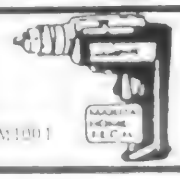

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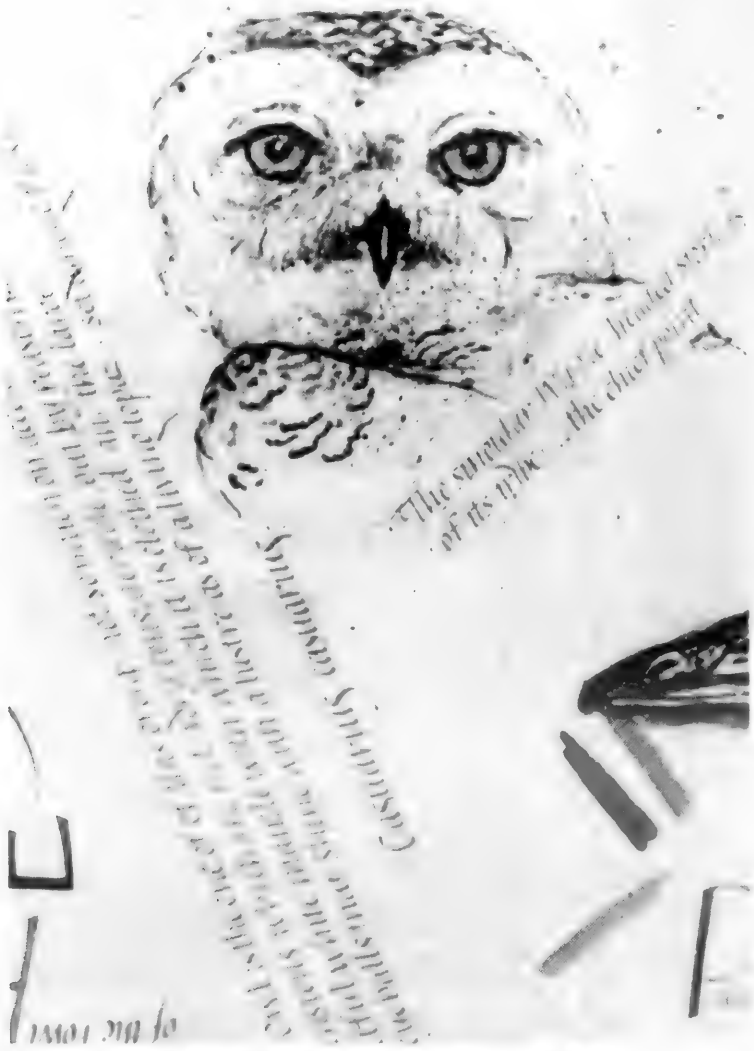

One of the works from Natural Forms exhibit.

# Natural Forms Show Opens

Artist Alan James Robinson and calligapher Suzanne Moore will be at Andover Antiquarian Books and Gallery Saturday, Dec. 6, from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. for a booksigning and reception opening their new show, 'Natural Forms."

The show is comprised of collaborative and individual work consisting of watercolors, drawings, one-of-a-kind broadsides and calligraphy depicting birds, animals and fishes with appropriate lettering. Featured are two broadsides of whales with Herman Melville quotes which have been purchased by Brown University for the Hay Library.

Robinson, who has illustrated several classics such as Edgar Allan Poe's "The Raven" and "The Black Cat," will autograph his new work, "The Jumping Frog" by Mark Twain. Robinson owns and operates Cheloniidae Press in Easthampton, a press devoted to publishing limited edition items, some of which are included in this show.

Moore's calligraphic books and broadsides are in several private and public collections, including the Pierpont Morgan Library in New York City.

According to David Rodger, proprieter of Andover Antiquarian Books and Gallery, "Even though Robinson's and Moore's works are being collected by major institutions, it is still very accessable to local book and art lovers."

The reception on Saturday and the show, which continues through January 9, are open to the public free of charge.

Mahogany formerly referred to 67 different kinds of wood that shared similar characteristics and so could be sold in the United States under the name mahogany.

Our traditional Christmas turkey does not appear on many menus around the world. The French reveillon, a feast which occurs after midnight Mass, is apt to feature oysters and sausages. In the French province of Brittany, buckwheat cakes with sour cream are served.


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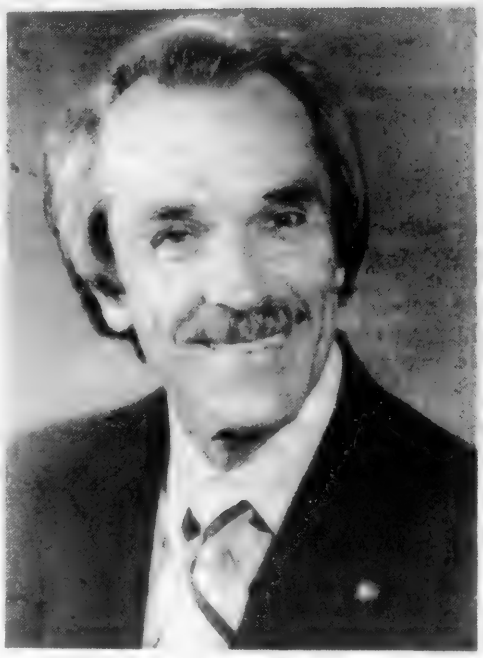
Peter M. Krusell of Howe Real Estate and Kathleen Boshar, executive officer of the Greater Lawrence Real Estate Board, Inc., were among the nearly 25,000 realtors attending the National Association of Realtors' 80th annual convention and trade exposition here November 12-17. This year's theme was "Where the Winners Are."

The convention covered a variety of key real estate issues, ranging from home sales and mortgage rate projections to foreign investment in domestic commercial properties. Development of a national housing policy and enactment of a federal housing bill were primary topics of duscussion.

The realtors legislative committee heard comments on federal deficit reduction from Reps. Richard Cheney, R-Wyo. and Rodney D. Chandler, R-Wash. Both members of Congress emphasized the need to cut federal spending. NAR President William M. Moore discussed the impact of the recent stock market plunge on real estate at a press conference. The market's dive caused a drop in mortgage rates that likely will boost home sales during the final quarter of 1987, he said.



Dr. Alphonse M. Tatarunis

# Presents Seminar In England

Dr. Alpphonse M. Tatarunis, president of the Greater New England Academy of Hypnosis, presented a level II hypnosis seminar in Birmingham, England, on November 14 and 15. Dr. Beryl Ambridge, president of the International Academy of Hypnosis, invited Tatarunis to conduct the seminar which included techniques on how to organize hypnosis programs for stress managemtn, weight loss and smoking cessation. The seminar was attended by hypnotists and therapists from England, Scotland, Wales and Northern Ireland.

Tatarunis, a resident of Andover, has been invited to return to England in April to conduct another level II seminar related to the use of hypnosis in chronic pain management.

## Concert

The North Shore Jewish Community Center in Marblehead will host a Family Pops Concert and Latke Supper in honor of Chanukah on Sunday, Dec. 20, at 4 p.m. The annual pops concert with the North Shore Philharmonic Orchestra will feature eight-year-old solo violinist Ayano Ninimiya.

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# Students Make Instruments

West Junior High eighth grader Weslie Byers, far right, helps Yahaira Guzman and Athena Oguendo, second graders at Frost School in Lawrence, make musical instruments.
Photo by Susan O'Neill

Lawrence's Frost School teachers, Rose Beauschene (English as a Second Language) and Susan Bangs, Ed.D. (second grade bilingual) invited Anne Beauschene's eighth grade class at West Junior High School to instruct the Frost School second graders in the making of seven musical instruments.

The activity was in conjunction with the "whole language appraoch" used in teaching the second graders. This method integrates literacy into every aspect of the students' curriculum.

The eighth graders are learning about sound in their science class and wanted to share their expertise with the second graders.

## Black Nativity

"Black Nativity," presented by The National Center of Afro-American Artists, will be performed December 6 at Boston Children's Museum at 2 p.m. and 3 p.m. Langston Hughes' song-play is a unique retelling of the Christmas story that blends elements of spoken poetry, dance and gospel music. The performance is free with museum admission, but space is limited. Tickets are first-come, first-served, beginning 10 a.m. the day of the performance.


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## Open Minded

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cannot purchase a TV, VCR or camera manufactured by an American-owned company. How many of these conditions existed 20 years ago? How much more will our lives be affected by other societies 20 years from now? The world continues to change and our lives continue to be shaped by events, cultures and people we don't fully understand. The collaborative school, it seems to me, has the potential to help our children more effectively comprehend, function and compete in an increasingly complex and diverse world.

I'm not suggesting that the collaborative school is a panacea for all school ills or that it is void of problems that need to be addressed; in fact, I have some very definite questions about such issues as cost, curriculum, teacher selection and student selection, among others. Hoepefully, these questions will be answered satisfactorily and my son will enter the collaborative school first grade in 1990. On the other hand, if the responses are not adequate, I will choose not to send my child there. That's what free choice is all about and this, after all, will be a totally voluntary school.

Unfortunately, before all the facts are known some peple have already decided to oppose the school. Perhaps in at least one respect Andover is similar to other American cities and towns; according to comments heard around town and quotes in the newspaper, there are, apparently, some residents whose attitudes are governed by such things as skin color, ethnic or cultural background and social class. Hopefully, most residents will be more open-minded, wait until all the information is available and base their decision on more substantative factors.

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## Band

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saying, 'Now I have to do a C chord, now a G chord.'"

And band members' stage persona aren't necessarily what they're really like, according to Brooks. "I usually do silly Monty Python jokes. I like silliness; I think humor is important. But a lot of people see me that way when I'm on stage, and I don't want them to think I'm that way all the time."

Brooks' kidding and the whole band were well-received by PA students at a concert on their campus last month. "Their favorite song—because it got the most applause—was a slow one, 'As Tears Go By' by the Rolling Stones.

The night before the PA gig found The Purple Stars Sound trying to cram eight songs into their memories. They pulled it off, though. "Tons of feeling," said Page, summing up the evening. "The energy made up for it."

He says he knows the band is playing well when they're playing as a unit, instead of six different people. "You feel like you're all playing together. It's that thing between musicians where you all work together."

Written Christmas greetings date back to the early 1300s when English schoolboys penned holiday letters to their parents as an exercise. Then, in 1846, too busy to write his usual Christmas letters, Sir Henry Copley sent out printed cards, the first of billions now sent out all over the world.

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November 24 - Bannister Road, AVIS, brush fire; 13 Copley Drive, Violet Gabriel, stove fire.

November25 - 25 Central St., Christ Church, smoke detector; Bartlet Street, Town of Andover, smoke detector; 278 Lowell St., medical assist; 28 Osgood St., Arthur Pauk, trouble in system; Beacon Street, Town of Andover, investigation.

November 26 - 106 Osgood St., John Millerick, stove fire; Red Spring Road, George Redman, investigation; Railroad Avenue, Andover Commons, false alarm; 4 Alison Way, Robert Spiegel, oven fire.

November 27 - 10 Main St., Bill Scanlon, smoke detector.

November 28 - Highland Road, Phillips Academy, smoke detector; 505 Lowell St., medical assist; 20 High St., Town of Andover, investigation; 16 Haverhill St., Balmoral Apartments, detector; 221 North Main St., Demoulas Market, chimney fire; 311 Lowell St., Sheraton Rolling Green, alarm.

November 29 - 44 Lowell Junction Road, Vatco Corp., investigation; 6 Yardley Road, medical assist; 16 Balmoral St., Jim Ahearn, citizen assist.

November 30 - 17 Haverhill St., Andover Mills, investigation.

The fire department ambulance responded to 23 calls during this same period

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## *Deck The Halls*

**Members of the Andover Garden Club decorate the Andover Historical Society for the holidays. Arranging candle center-pieces, from left are Club President Mary Batels, Ruth Hoffman and Gen Boshar. In background is Sue Daly.**

### Skiing

"Shape Up for Skiing," a program designed for cross-country and downhill skiers to get in shape for the upcoming season, will be held Saturday, Dec. 12, from 9:30 a.m. to 11:30 a.m. in the St. John's Hospital Residence Auditorium on stackpole Street in Lowell.

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French and Rochwarg are longtime residents of the Andover area and have been a part of the Merrimack Valley business community for more than 15 years. They are the former owners of the Olde Village Flower Shop, Inc. in Andover. French is a past president of the Andover Chamber of Commerce and past chairman of the Andover Center Merchants Association. Rochwarg is a realtor associated with the Victor Company's Haverhill office.

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## *Singing For Seniors*

**Students from The Pike School in grades three, four and five performed in concert at the Andover Senior Center last week. Pike music teacher Carolyn Taylor directed the middle school chorus through various selections. Singing are, in foreground, Janice Tan, 8, of North Andover, the daughter of Michael and Betsy Tan, and Ricki Caruso, 9, son of Richard and Carolyn Caruso of 4 Granda Way.**

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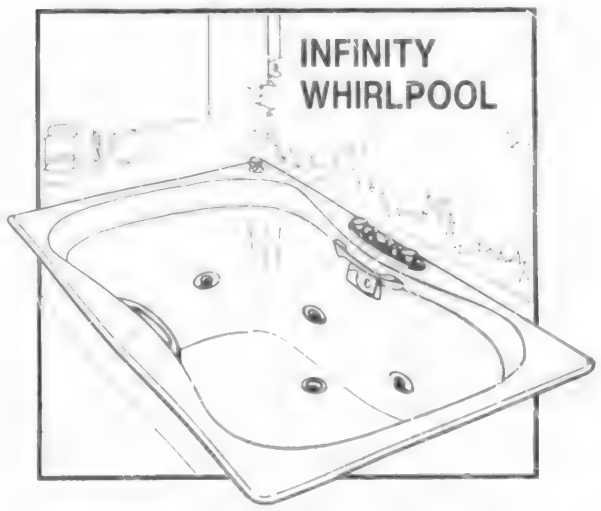


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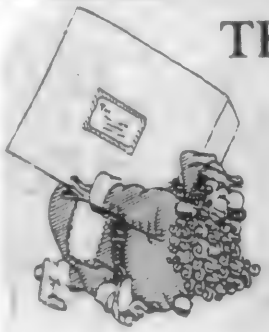

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# Andover Families Participate

Several Andover families were represented in the first Respect Life Coalition Walk held in Boston recently. The 5-K walk was sponsored by Mass. Citizens for Life which seeks the return of the right to life of all human beings, from conception to natural death. The Andover group raised several hundred dollars to benefit the local Merrimack Valley Right to Life which helps expectant mothers in need and infants.

## *Principal*

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standards." In addition, a scheduling committee he's been on since September is trying to increase the time students spend in the classroom.

"We have been boxed into eight 40-minute periods for as long as I can remember," Hixon said. "We must have the flexibility certain teaching techniques require. Something as simple as a film—how do you introduce a film, show it and have a discussion in 40 minutes?" The new schedule won't go into effect until next school year, and when it does, it won't mean a longer school day, but maybe fewer periods meeting per day.

"If, by the luck of the computer, you get a class that meets after lunch every day for 180 days, that's a very different class than one that meets at 9 o'clock in the morning."

The good administrator, Hixon said, does two basic things. "You should provide the staff and student body with the essentials to carry out the educational goals of the schoo—the curriculum, budget. And you should provide the atmosphere in which to carry out the goals—the morale, spirit and discipline. Once you have the essentials and the proper atmosphere, then you will be successful."

Hixon said he's grateful for all the encouragement he received from colleagues and friends. "The support generated from the community and from the staff was extremely gratifying to me as an individual. Whether I received the appointment or not, it was so important to me."

*Frank Messina contributed to this article.*

## Energy Assistance

Joseph P. Kennedy, II, chairman of Citizens Energy Corp., speaking at the Crossroads Family Shelter in East Boston, announced the start of a new program that will help thousands of homeless individuals and families keep warm this winter.

Citizens Energy will provide oil, free of charge, to 23 homeless shelters throughout the Commonwealth for the winter months, beginning in December.

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likely that all 10 positions they recommended will be added. Poore and Seifert say they are unable to estimate just how many will be taken on, pointing out that the budget process has just begun.

Poore was also not willing to discuss bringing in an outside consultant, calling instead for parents to bring in a price tag for the consultant if they wanted one considered for the budget.

The chairman directed Superintendent of Schools Kenneth Seifert to hold a meeting with parents to refine the issues brought up by the 766 report.

Poore set aside the Jan. 5, 1988 committee meeting for further discussion on the report. By then, she said, the budget process would be underway and issues dealing with hiring more teachers could be better addressed.

Near the end of the discussion, Seifert spoke against throwing money into the special education system. "The expense is going to be so much that the counter is going to push special education back to the cellar," he said.

Poore closed the session by commenting that both school administration and parents have taken positions "produced in absence of one group seeing what the other group was doing," she said. "I don't think there are great gaps here."

Poore commented that discussions over special education needs will last for an extended period. "It's not going to end this evening," she said, "and if that's what people are looking for then I think we're in trouble."

After the meeting Poore said she felt that special education discussions were "headed in the right direction."

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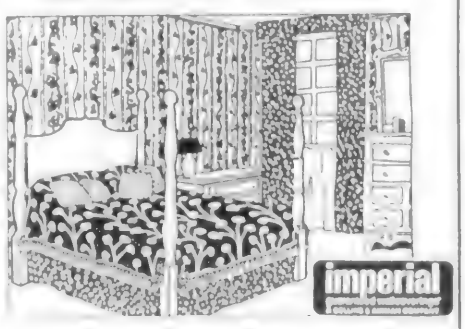

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# births.....

**BELL** — A daughter, Melissa Jeanne, born Nov. 13 at Beverly Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Gregory W. Bell of 47 Whittier St. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Bell of Peabody and Mr. and Mrs. Bruce MacArthur of Beverly. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Richard Bertone of Seabrook, N.H., Dorothy MacArthur of Beverly and Edith Bell of Andover.

**SEERO** — A son, Christopher John, born Nov. 13 at Lawrence General Hospital to Scott J. and Sally (O'Reilly) Seero of 2 Cheever Circle. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Edward V. Seero of Andover and Mrs. Mary J. O'Reilly, also of Andover.

**CORAVOS** — A daughter, Andrea Ruth, Nov. 21 at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Boston, to Dr. and Mrs. Evan Coravos of Andover. Dee Dee Gardner was the mother's maiden name. Grandparents include Dr. and Mrs. William Gardner of Wellesley and Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Coravos of Lowell. Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Anthanasius Zunes of Lowell.

**HORGAN** — A daughter Brittany Sterling, Nov. 20 at Winchester Hospital, to Daniel and Virginia (Eaton) Horgan, 292 Bunker Hill St., Charlestown. Grandparents are Martha and John S. Eaton of Andover, James Horgan of Hyde Park and Gail Martin of Gulfport, Ms.

**FINNERTY** — A daughter, Jacqueline Michelle, Nov. 14 to Jack and Jeannie (Green) Finnerty of Massapaqua, N.Y. Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Green, formerly of Andover.

**GATTI** — A son, Andrew Pierson, Oct. 23 at Winchester Hospital to Peter A. and Tina (Raftopoulis) Gatti, 15 Savilla Way, Andover. Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas Raftopoulis of Burlington and Mrs. Odelie Gatti of Lexington.

**HOBBS** — A son, Stephen Michael, Nov. 19, at Seymour Johnston, Air Force Base, Goldsboro, North Carolina, to Michael and Linda (Clark) Hobbs. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Michael Hobbs, Sr., Scarborough, Maine, formerly of Andover and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clark, Nashua, N.H., formerly of Wright Patterson AFB, Ohio.

**CHIOZZI** — A daughter, Melissa Kristen, Oct. 19. at St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Boston,to Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Chiozzi of Andover. Linda Roy was the mother's maiden name.

**SOFIO** — A daughter, Jessica Rachel, Nov. 6, at Emerson Hospital, Concord, to John R. and Mary Jane (Seale) Sofio, 180 Cardigan Road, Andover. Grandparents include Mrs. Janet Seale of Brewster and Mrs. Alma Sofio of Hawaii.

**HOLBER** — A daughter, Alysa Jennifer, Aug. 25, at Brigham and Women's Hospital, Boston, to Stuart and Meryl (Kroner) Holber, 23 Lincoln Circle East, Andover. Grandparents are Mrs. Dorothy Kroner and the late Thomas Kroner of Marblehead and Mr. and Mrs. Alan Holber of Haverhill. Great grandmother is Mrs. Rose Goldberg of Haverhill.

## *Tyer Rubber*

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joined with Robert Webster in the acquisition and conversion of the Musgrove Building in Elm Square in 1970. When the two people acquired that property, Post Office Avenue was still a dirt road, and the roof of the Musgrove remained in disrepair from a cavein during the winter. The building was completely renovated and has since been sold to another development firm.

While there are no definite retail occupants lined up for the new location as yet, Stern said there has been considerable interest shown by what he calls, "well-known upscale retailers familiar with Andover." He also indicated there would probably be a bank located there.

He said the building potential is great due to the lack of retail space remaining in Andover and also the availability of significant parking. A large parking area fronts the Railroad Street property.

The building itself is part of what once was the Tyer Rubber Co. Tyer, at one time one of Andover's prime industries, was acquired by Converse Rubber Co., which eventually consolidated its operations and closed the Andover plant.

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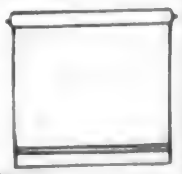
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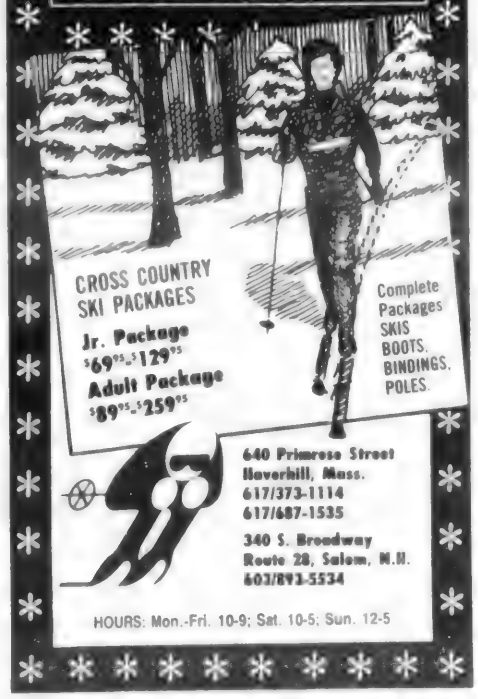
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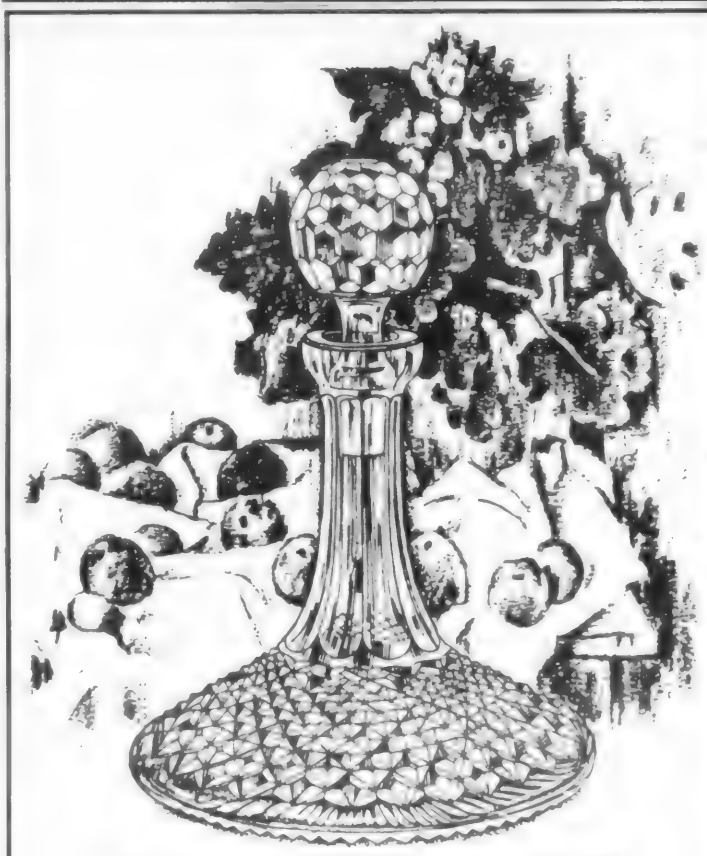
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Many older residents eat alone, live alone and spend holidays alone. If you are fortunate to have friends and family to share meals and holidays with, perhaps you'd be willing to share some of your time and friendship with one of Andover's older residents who isn't so lucky. The Council on Aging sponsors the Andover Friendly Visitor Program to make life less lonely for Andover's older residents who live alone. Perhaps you would like to donate some time to share with an older person. The Friendly Visitor Program needs volunteers who can donate one hour per week to visit with an older resident. If you can help, call the Council on Aging at 470-3800, ext. 292.

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Tickets for the annual Council on Aging Christmas Party go on sale Friday, Dec. 4,. For $2 you can enjoy a roast beef dinner, music by Chet Harnden, vistors from the north and more on Tuesday, Dec. 22. Space is limited so be sure to get your tickets early.

Enjoy sugar plum fairies, tin soldiers and the Boston Ballet on Monday, Dec. 28, as the Council on Aging travels to the Wang Center in Boston to see a matinee performance of "Th Nutcracker." A special senior citizen's discount has been offered to us which allows us to provide orchestra seats and transportation for only $15. Tickets are limited, so get yours today.

Travellers on the trip to the Trapp Family Lodge in Stowe, Vermont, are reminded that the bus leaves Sunday at 8:30 a.m. from the senior center.

Rabbi Harry Roth of Temple Emanuel in Andover will present a program entitled "Chanukkah, the Festival of Lights" on Thursday, Dec. 10, at 10 a.m. at the senior center. Refreshments will be served.

Another holiday program to remember is scheduled for Tuesday, Dec. 8, at 1 p.m. when Denise McManus presents a special program on style and color for you and your home.

Upcoming health education programs include a special For Women Only program on breast self exam on Wednesday, Dec. 16, at 10 a.m., sponsored by the American Cancer Society. First Lady Nancy Reagan's recent surgery reminds us of the importance of early detection. Do yorself a favor and take the time for this important program. Pat Wood, R.N., will present "Curbing Sugar Cravings" on Thursday, Dec. 17, at 10:30 a.m., another important topic as we venture to holiday parties.

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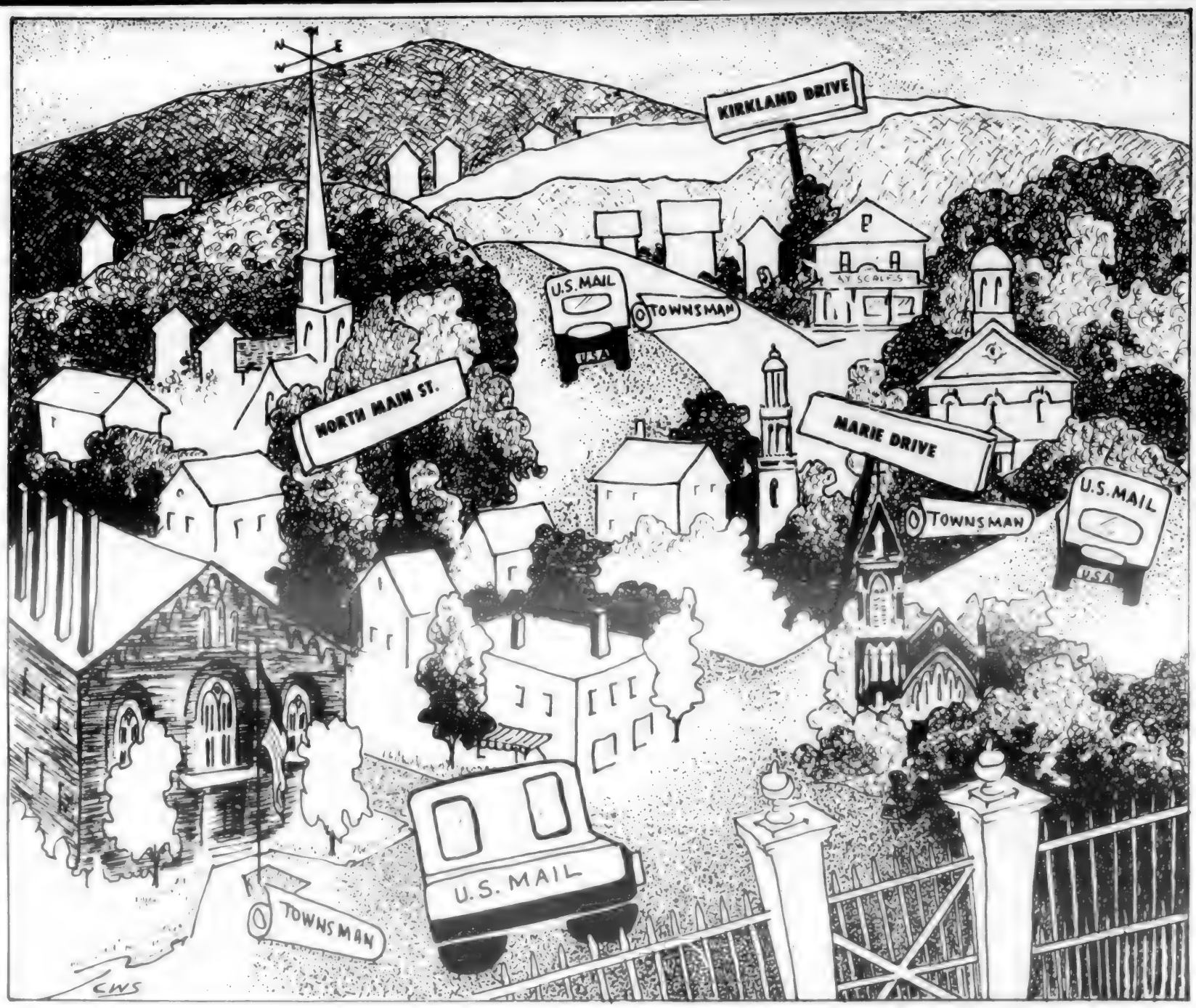


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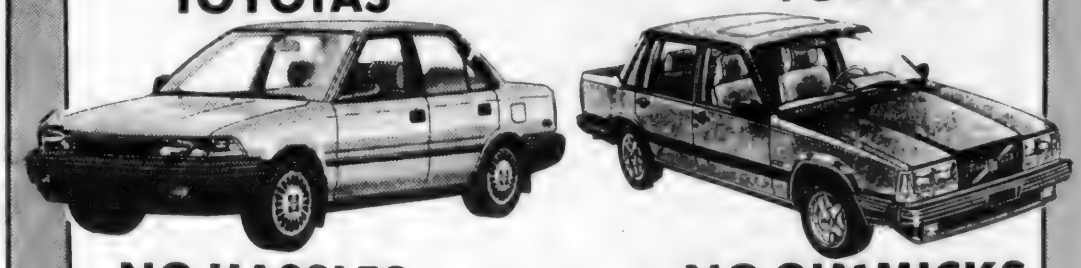
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## *Down The Years*

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address on "A Prayer for Freedom." Bill Elliot, popular singing policeman of Hampton Beach, will sing three selections.

At a joint meeting of the Board of Public Works, the finance committee and the selectmen last night it was decided to give most of the regular employees of the Public Works department two days of work a week for the remainder of the year out of snow appropriations. The chances are 10 to 1, it was stated, that the funds will all be used before winter is over.

A football dance will be held at the Crystal ballroom on next Wednesday with proceeds to benefit the Andover Athletic fund.

**25 Years Ago — December 1967**

Town Manager Richard Bowen advised the School Committee this week that it should not plan on beginning "educational use" of the new senior high school before Feb. 1, roughly six weeks after the contractor promised to have the building ready for occupancy. Even before this official notificaion was received, High School Principal Phillip Wormwood had cancelled out plans for ending the high school semester Dec.15 and had rescheduled the start of exam week for Jan.15.

A memorial service will be held at South Church tonight at 7:30 p.m. for the late Rev. Frederick B. Noss who retired a year ago after 36 years as minister to the South Church congregation.

The school committee, on Chairman Louis Galbiati's motion, will send a letter to the State Board of Education expressing support of its decision requiring mandatory kindergarten throughout the state by 1973.

**10 Years Ago — December 1977**

Santa Claus will get his traditional Andover greeting, courtesy of the Andover firefighters Saturday afternoon with a parade through downtown Andover beginning at 1:30 p.m.

To add to the enjoyment of the annual greeting this year, the firefighters have arranged to have Santa return to town hall after the parade concludes to visit with youngsters.

George Thompson and Walter Potvin, co-chairmen of the committee planning the annual Santa greeting, reported this week that jolly old red gentlemen's traditional Ho-Ho-Ho will be amply accompanied by at last four musical and marching units.

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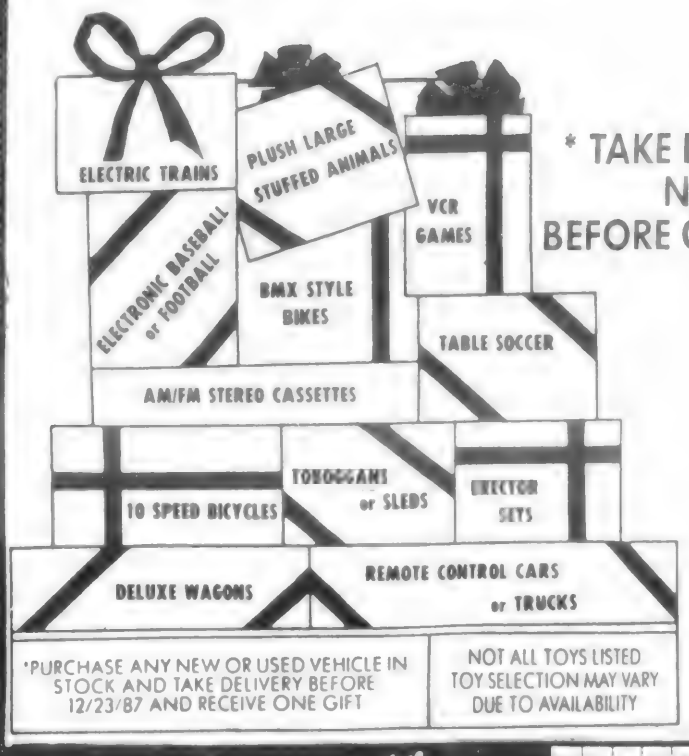


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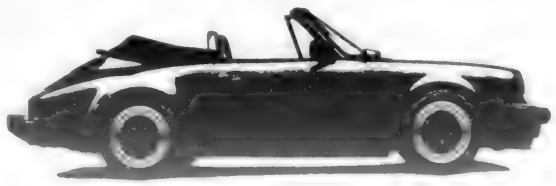

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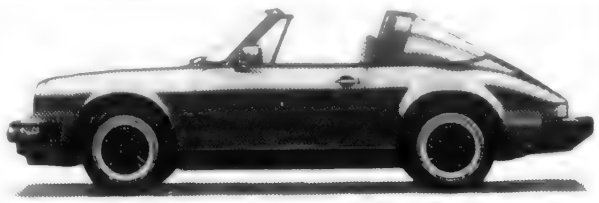

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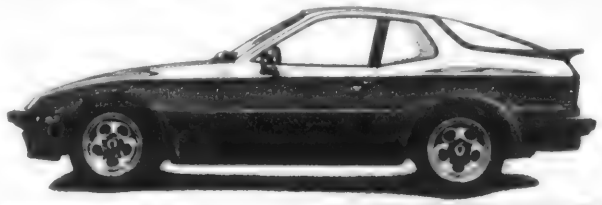

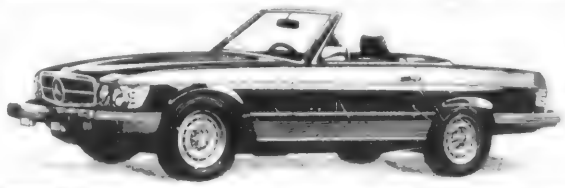

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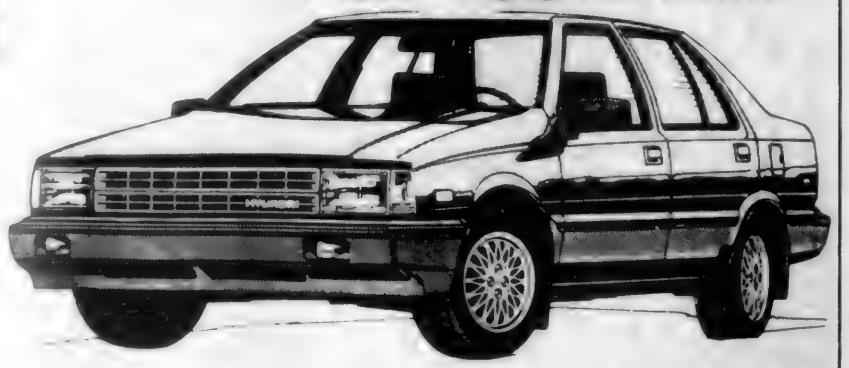

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Akimi and Nickolas Valhouli, owners of Petro's

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For a truly unique and exciting experience, drop into Petro's Seafood Deli at 16 Post Office Ave., in Andover. Six months ago Chef Nicholas Valhouli and his wife Akimi opened their door to the delight of local residents and business people. The word spread quickly and now their clientel has grown to surrounding towns and cities.

The secret to their success is spread out before your eyes as you step into this immaculate seafood heaven! Petro's carries a wide and varied selection of fish and seafood which is delivered twice daily to insure the ultimate in freshness. On the day of my visit, there were beautifully arranged trays of Alaskan smoked sable, Cajun swordfish, Norwegian salmon, calamari, marinated or plain jumbo shrimp, Nova lox, Canadian smelts, plus native haddock and scrod.

With Akimi's unique flower arrangements within the display case, one can easily think for a moment that one is viewing an exquisite painting. Ah...then you realize it's all real!

Step over to the salad case for an unusual selection of side dishes to accompany your fish or seafood choice. Some that I found were - beet greens, orange, soy & vinegar - dried fruit salad - plum tomatoes with cilantro & prunes - patti pan squash with garlic & lemon - celephane noodles with Enooki tree mushrooms & Chinese fungi and artichoke hearts with oil, vinegar and oregano.

Because of increased demand, Petro's has added seating for twenty for lunch and dinner clientel. Their ever changing menu has included such delights as swordfish with dill sauce, scollops aux champignon, sauce Bianco with noodles and pumpkin soup. They also serve a variety of sandwiches and antipasto.

Having a Christening, graduation, wedding or perhaps an office Christmas party? Call Petro's at 475-1522 and ask about their catering service. You'll be glad you did! And, for this busy holiday season, check out their frozen food case for easy-to-serve entrees prepared on the premises at Petro's -*The* Seafood Deli!

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# Counterfeit Bill Turned Over To Secret Service Agents

By Frank Messina

A counterfeit $50 bill passed to a local bank last week will be turned over to the U.S. Secret Service, Andover police said Tuesday.

The bogus bill, which was part of a deposit made at Lawrence Savings Bank, 342 N. Main St., by an Andover woman, is the first counterfeit money seen in town since last summer, said Andover Lt. John Houlihan.

"There is nothing to show that a bunch of fifties are flooding the town," said Houlihan.

Whether the phony bill is an isolated case or part of an area-wide pattern will be determined by the Secret Service, which has jurisdiction in counterfeit currency cases.

The fake $50 bill received by Lawrence Savings was a high quality forgery, said Houlihan.

The detective produced a newly-minted $20 and simultaneously rubbed the authentic legal tender and the counterfeit bill between the thumb and forefinger of each hand.

"I can see where someone could have been fooled by it," he said.

Andover police do not suspect the woman who deposited the fake money "at the present time," said Houlihan. However, police are still trying to contact her to find out where she got the counterfeit money.

A new teller who had only recently began working at Lawrence Savings was credited with spotting the counterfeit $50 bill.

Corene Padova, branch manager of the bank said the teller, described only as a young man, had just received training on how to recognize counterfeit money when he came across a suspicious-looking $50 bill.

Alerted by small, tell-tale discrepancies, such as certain colored lines missing from the numerals on the bill, the teller brought the bill to his supervisors who confirmed his hunch.

"There wasn't much there to tell it was counterfeit," said Padova, "it's really a very good fake bill."

Although it was the first counterfeit money she has seen at Lawrence Savings, Padova said that phony money often begins to show up during the holiday season.

"People should know what to look for, especially at this time of year," she said.

Among the precautions holiday shoppers can use to determine if their change is the real thing is a rub test where the bill is rubbed on a sheet of white paper. Any sign of green on the paper means that the money is counterfeit, Padova said.

Simply feeling the quality and thickness of the money in question is also effective.

# Town Meeting Study Group To Hold Open Meeting On TV

The Town Meeting Improvements Study Committee will hold an open meeting Dec. 10 at 7:30 p.m. in the third floor conference room of the administration building on Bartlet Street. The meeting will be televised over Channel 11, the local cable. The public is invited.

The purpose of the meeting is to review the accomplishments of the committee, respond to questions from the floor, receive suggestions and stimulate public awareness of the town meeting nature and process, the system by which we govern ourselves.

Citizens and students of Andover who cannot attend may direct questions and make suggestions by calling the town hall number—470-3800. The committee encourages the use of this open line.

Article #67 of the 1986 Town Meeting created and funded the study committee which is comprised of three members appointed by the Board of Selectmen, three by the moderator and three by the Finance Committee. Its purpose, as stated by its sponsor, Richard J. Bowen, is "to find out and try out ideas which might improve the operation of the Town Meeting." The committee has restricted its activities to this directive.

This is the first in a series of meetings the committee will sponsor following the closing of the spring meeting warrant.

The televised portion of the meeting is scheduled for 8 p.m.

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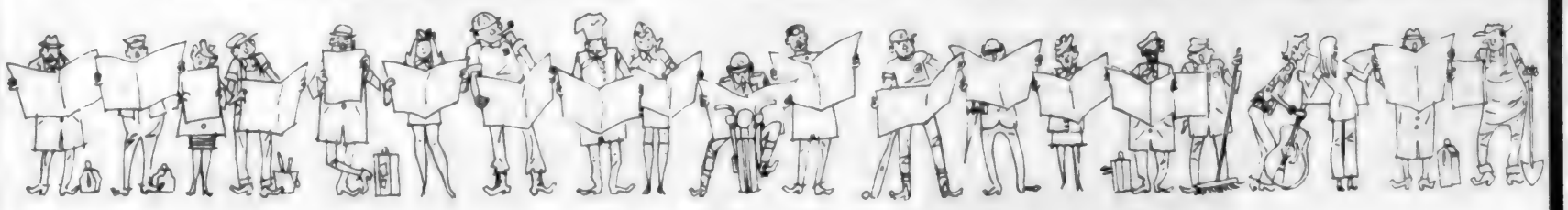

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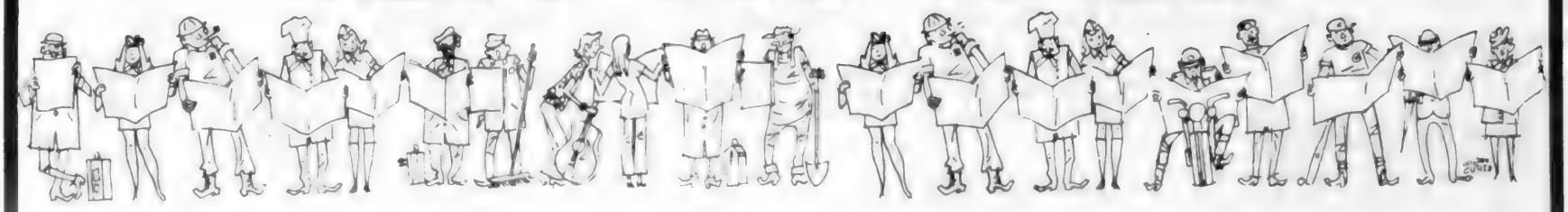

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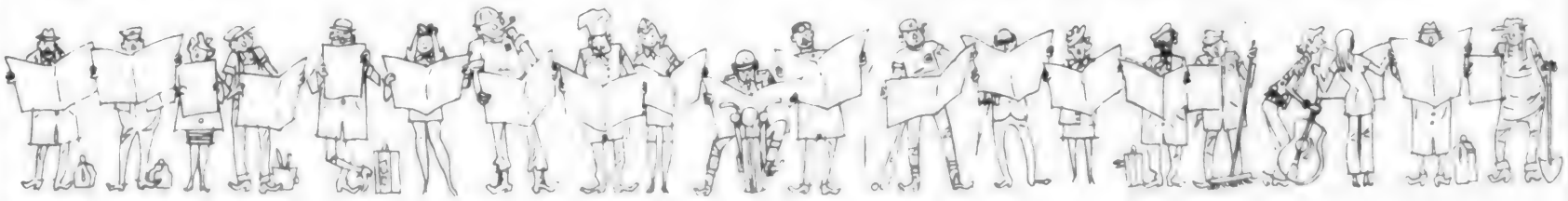

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By virtue and in execution of the POWER OF SALE contained in a certain mortgage given by Environmental Control Services, Inc. to BancBoston Mortgage Corporation dated September 10, 1985 and recorded with essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 2041, Page 82, of which mortgage the undersigned is the present holder, for breach of the conditions of said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same will be sold at Public Auction at 10.00 o'clock A.M. on the 17th day of December A.D. 1987, on the mortgaged premises to wit: Lot #3 North Cross Road, North Andover, Massachusetts. Being a lot of land as shown on a Subdivision of Land entitled "Frances Estates", more particularly described below.

A portion of the premises described in said mortgage.

To wit:

**PARCEL I**

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, as shown on a Plan of Land entitled Subdivision Plan of Land of "**Florence Estates** in North Andover, Massachusetts drawn for E.C.S., Inc. P.O. Box 177, Pinehurst, Mass. by Merrimack Engineering Services, 66 Park Street, Andover, Massachusetts 01810, 1"-40' dated November 1984, Rev. June 1985, recorded 8-29-85 as plan number 10014, in Essex North Registry of Deeds.

Said parcel is subject to a drainage easement, access easements, and future access easements all as shown on said plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to the within Mortgagor by Deed of **Nellie H. Arsenault** dated September 10, 1985 recorded in Book 2041, Page 81.

**PARCEL II**

Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8 as shown on a Plan of Land entitled Subdivision Plan of Land of **Frances Estates** in North Andover, Massachusetts, drawn for E.C.S., Inc. PO Box 177, Pinehurst, Mass., by Merrimack Engineering Services, 66 Park Street, Andover, Massachusetts 01810, 1"-40', dated November 1984, Rev. June 1985, recorded on 8-29-85 as Plan number 10015, in Essex North Registry of Deeds.

Subject to a Drainage easement as shown on said Plan.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Mortgagor by Deed of **Frank L. Olms, Jr. and Charlotte E. Olms**, recorded in Book 1831, Page 241.

**PARCEL III**

A certain parcel of land shown as "**Area Abbott Realty Trust** to ECS, Inc. as shown on a plan of land entitled "Subdivision Plan of Land of **Frances Estates** in North Andover, Mass., drawn for ECS, Inc., PO Box 177, Pinehurst, Mass., Scale 1'-40', November, 1984, Revised June 1985, by Merrimack Engineering Services, 66 Park Street, Andover, Mass., 01810, and recorded as Plan number 10015 on 8-29-85, said parcel being bounded and described as follows:

Beginning at the southeasterly corner of the land now or formerly of Abbott Realty Trust;

Thence Northwesterly, 65.10 feet;

Thence Southerly in an arc along the land now or formerly of Abbott Realty Trust, 63.18 feet;

Thence Easterly, 65.09 feet to point of beginning.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Mortgagor by Deed of **Mary L. Kaddaras, Trustee of Abbott Realty Trust** dated September 10, 1985 recorded in Book 2041, Page 80.

**PARCEL IV**

A certain parcel of land containing 15,571 square feet, more or less, beginning at a corner at the intersection of Rea Street and land now or formerly owned by Environmental Control Services, Inc.; thence running

EASTERLY 19.47 feet, thence turning and running;

SOUTHERLY 55.98 feet, thence turning and running;

SOUTHERLY 38.16 feet, thence turning and running

SOUTHERLY 119.74 feet, thence turning and running;

SOUTHEASTERLY in an arc of 113.31 feet, thence turning and running;

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SOUTHWESTERLY 40.85 feet, by Summer Street; thence turning and running;

NORTHWESTERLY 47.96 feet, by Rea Street, thence turning and running;

NORTHWESTERLY 290.11 feet, by Rea Street, thence turning and running;

NORTHWESTERLY 69.73 feet, by Rea Street, thence turning and running;

NORTHWESTERLY 36.96 feet by Rea Street, thence turning and running;

NORTHWESTERLY 39.68 feet, by Rea Street, thence turning and running;

NORTHERLY 74.52 feet, by Rea Street, thence turning and running;

NORTHERLY 166.39 feet to the point of beginning.

All said land being a portion of the premises conveyed to **Ernest and Antonietta Romano** by deed dated October 25, 1972 from **John J. Leone et al** and recorded in the North District Essex Registry of Deeds, Book 1205, Page 359.

Said parcel is subject to restrictions as stated in Deed of **Ernest Romano**, dated July 30, 1985 recorded in Book 2032, Page 196, Essex North Registry of Deeds.

Being the same premises conveyed to the Mortgagor as shown in deed recorded in Book 2032, Page 196.

All of Parcel I, III & IV will be sold at sale and only Lots 1,2,3,7, and 8, as described in Parcel II will be sold at sale. Lots 4, 5, and 6 having been previously released.

Said premises will be sold together with and subject to easements and restrictions of record created prior to the aforesaid mortgage, if any, to the extent that the same are now in force and applicable. Said premises will be sold subject to all unpaid taxes, outstanding tax titles and municipal liens and assessments, if any.

Terms of Sale:

TWENTY THOUSAND ($20,000.00) Dollars will be required to be paid in cash or certified check, or Treasurer's Check at the time and place of sale and the balance of the purchase price is to be paid in cash within twenty days thereafter.

Other terms to be announced at the sale

November 13, 1987

Signed BancBoston Mortgage Corporation
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November 25; December 3, 10, 1987

# Andover Television Center

Keep in touch with current events in Andover. Watch channel 12, ATC.

The Andover Television Center, ATC, cablecasts programs produced by students and staff if the Andover Public Schools designed to inform and entertain town residents.

Tonight

**6 p.m.** *Mousetrap*. If you were not able to attend the Friday, Nov. 13, performance of Agatha Christie's murder mystery, *Mousetrap*, as produced and performed by Andover High theater students, this is an opportunity to catch the show featuring Ed Pascucci, Craig Durling, Neal Fater, Jennifer Wilson, Joe Gillam, Sarah DeRocher, Andy Bernard and Laura Fallon, directed by Bob Lague.

**8 p.m.** *Cultural Exchange*. "The Peasant of el salvadore," hosted by social studies teacher, tom Meyer. Here's an opportunity to view clips from the powerful and controversial play which was presented last spring at the J. Everett collins center. Also hear Colonel Riley of the U.S. State Department and Professor Tontar of Merrimack College debate U.S.-South American policy and issues.

Next week.

Wednesday

**5:20 p.m.** *ZOORIFIC!!!*. For younger children. find out how animals get ready for the cold, wintry months.

**5:20 p.m.** *Music Videos*. See some local talent perform.

**5:30 p.m.** *"On the Rise*. Catch this entertaining performance by Dawna Hammers-Graham, one of Metro-Boston's newest high-tech performers.

**5:50 p.m.** *More Music Videos*.

**6 p.m.** *Belt yurself*. This show, produced by Christopher Moore, senior, with guests Dr. Galena and Dr. Guerra, deals with important motor vehicle safety. Elizabeth Bakulski is host.

Thursday

**7:30 p.m.** *Community Fourm Live With Dr. Kenneth Seifert*. Cablecast live from West Elementary, Dr. Weifert discusses issues and concerns facing Andover parents, students and residents.

## Christmas Concert

The Lawrence Boychoir will present its third annual Christmas concert on Sunday, Dec. 6, at 3:30 p.m. in Holy Rosary Church in Lawrence.

The program will feature the Ceremony of Carols composed especially for boychoir and harp by Benjamin Britten. The Epic Brass Quintet will offer solo works for brass and participate in carol arrangements with the choir. The Lawrence Boychoir Men's Schola of adult male singers will present some works formen and boy choirs.

The Lawrence Boychoir is drawn from the boys of Our Lady of the Holy Rosary Regional Choir School. Founded in 1985, the choir school offers boys ages 8-14 a special musical and liturgical education while providing the community with a liturgical and cultural service.

Boys must pass an audition and academic screening. Each boy is awarded a full tuition scholarship to attend Holy Rosary Elementary School where a special course of study is integrated into their daily school curriculum. The scholarship also provides the boys with free piano lessons and training in music theory and voice.

The choir school includes 27 boys in grades four through seven. Each year a new class of fourth-grade boys is added. The scholarship is renewed annually until the boys complete grade eight.

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(Seal) **Case No. 124949**

To **Paul Maltacea**, of Andover, Essex County, Bank of New England-Bay State, N.A., a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Lawrence, Essex County, **Clemente Abascal**, of Lawrence, Essex County, **Comfed Savings Bank**, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Lowell, Middlesex County, **Barbara S. Zakas**, of Gloucester, Essex County, **Stephanos Loisou**, of North Andover, Essex County, **Jackson Lumber Company, Inc.**, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Lawrence, Essex County, **Grossman's Inc.**, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Braintree, Norfolk County, all of said Commonwealth: and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended: **Bank of New England-Bay State, N.A.**, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Lawrence, Essex County, and said Commonwealth; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in said Andover, numbered 14-16 Ridge Street, given by **Paul Maltacea**, to plaintiff, dated June 11, 1985, recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 1985, Page 226, has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended, and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said Court at Boston on or before the twenty-first day of December 1987, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness Marilyn M. Sullivan, Chief Justice of said Court this third day of November 1987.

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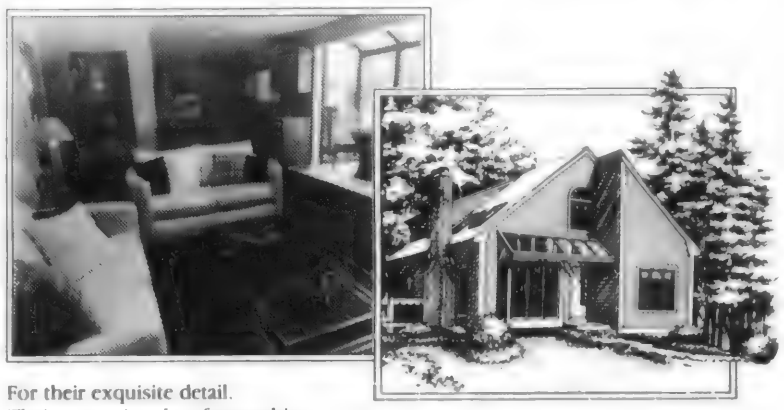

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The annual federal tax return (Form 990-PF) of the Andover Home for Aged People for the year ended September 30, 1987 is available for inspection at the address noted below. It may be examined during the hours of 7 P.M. to 9 P.M. weekdays by any citizen who so requests within 180 days of December 15, 1987. The principal officer is John R. Bryden, President.

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**COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS**
**THE TRIAL COURT**
**THE PROBATE AND FAMILY COURT**
**Essex Division**
**Docket No. 87P2713-E1**

Estate of **Louis D. Patracone** late of Andover in the County of Essex.

**NOTICE**

A petition has been presented in the above-captioned matter praying that a certain instrument be probated purporting to be the last will of said deceased by **Joyce B. Patracone** of Andover in the County of Essex, praying that she be appointed executrix thereof, without giving a surety on her bond, **Walter W. Topham, the other executor named in said will,** having declined to serve.

If you desire to object to the allowance of said petition, you or your attorney should file a written appearance in said Court at Salem on or before 10:00 in the forenoon on December 21, 1987.

In addition you should file a written statement of objections to the petition, giving specific grounds therefore, within thirty (30) days after the return day (or such other time as the Court, on motion with notice to the petitioner, may allow) in accordance with Probate Rule 2A.

Witness, Thaddeus Buczko, Esquire, First Justice of said Court at Salem, the sixteenth day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and eighty-seven.

JOHN F. BURKE,
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**LAND COURT DEPARTMENT**
**OF THE TRIAL COURT**
**(Seal) Case No. 125051**

To **Raymond B. Agler** and **Herbert M. Jacobs**, both of North Andover, Essex County, both of said Commonwealth: and to all persons entitled to the benefit of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended: **Fidelity Guarantee Mortgage Corporation**, a duly existing corporation having an usual place of business in Allston, Suffolk County, and said Commonwealth; claiming to be the holder of a mortgage covering real property in Andover, Unit 118, numbered 16 Balmoral Street, given by **Raymond B. Agler** and **Herbert M. Jacobs**, to plaintiff, dated September 11, 1984, recorded with Essex County (Northern District) Registry of Deeds, Book 1866, Page 308, has filed with said court a complaint for authority to foreclose said mortgage in the manner following: by entry and possession and exercise of power of sale.

If you are entitled to the benefits of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 as amended and you object to such foreclosure you or your attorney should file a written appearance and answer in said court at Boston on or before the fourth day of January 1988, or you may be forever barred from claiming that such foreclosure is invalid under said act.

Witness Marilyn M. Sullivan, Chief Justice of said Court this eighteenth day of November 1987.

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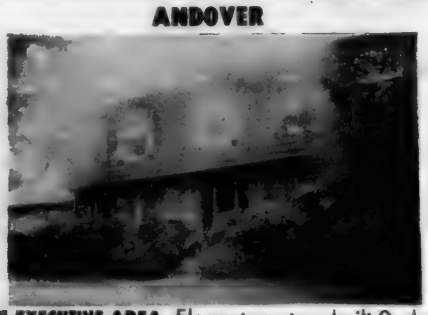

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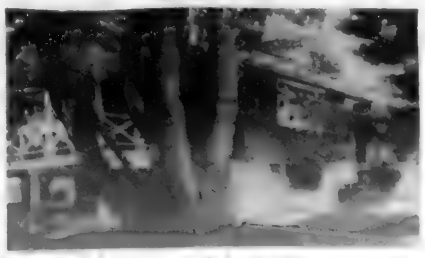

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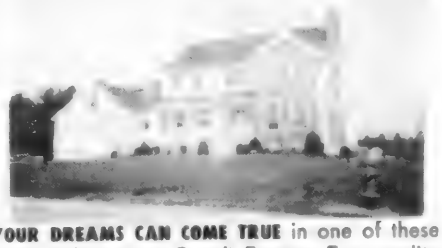

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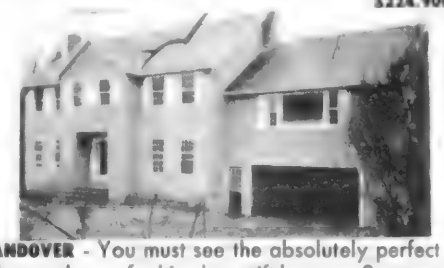

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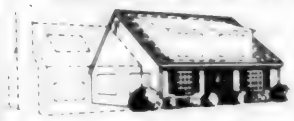

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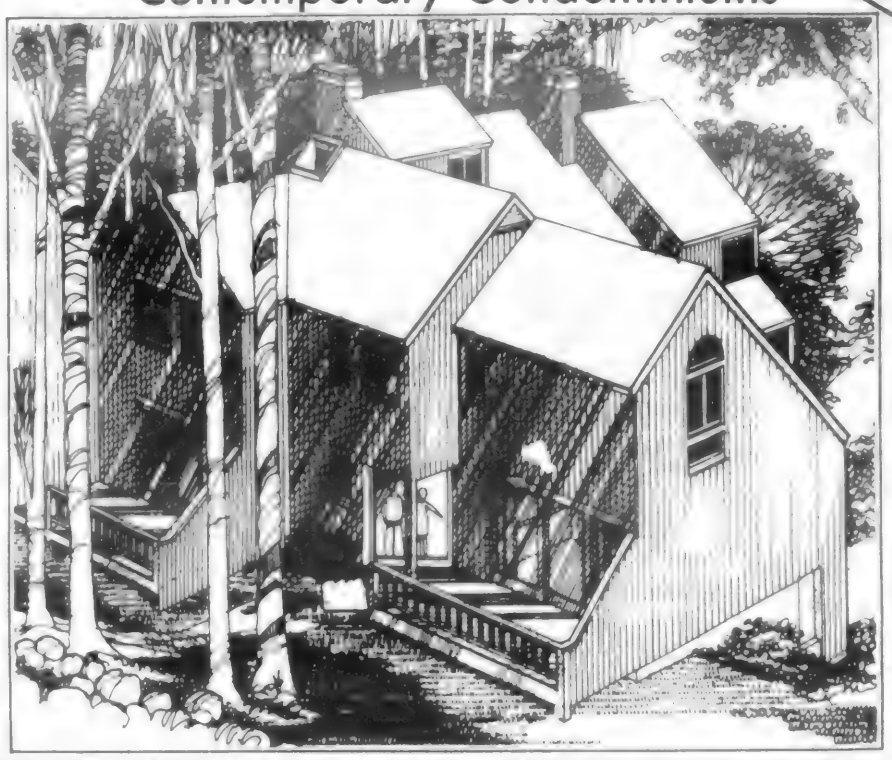

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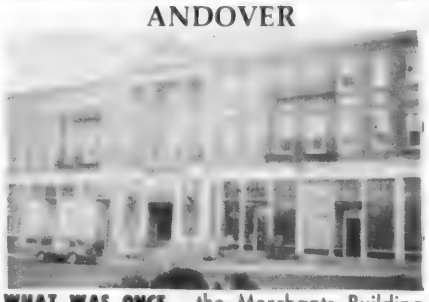

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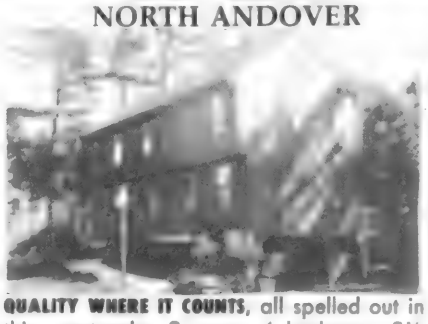

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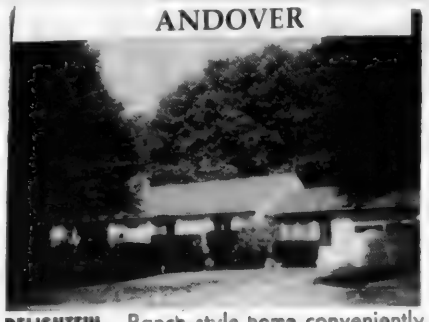

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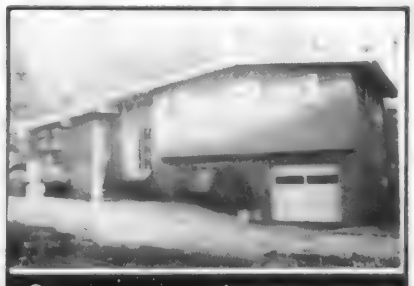
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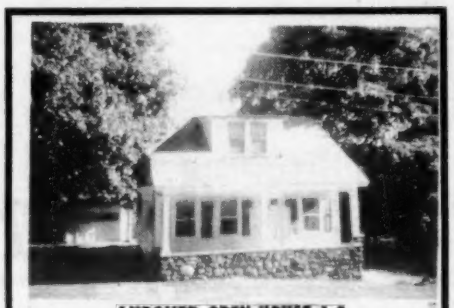

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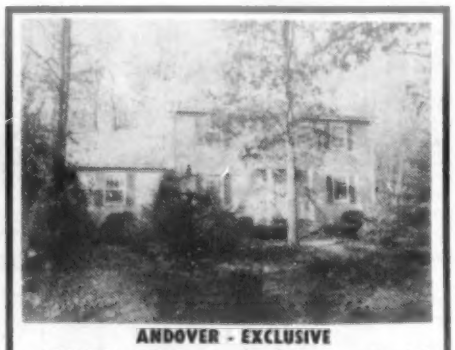

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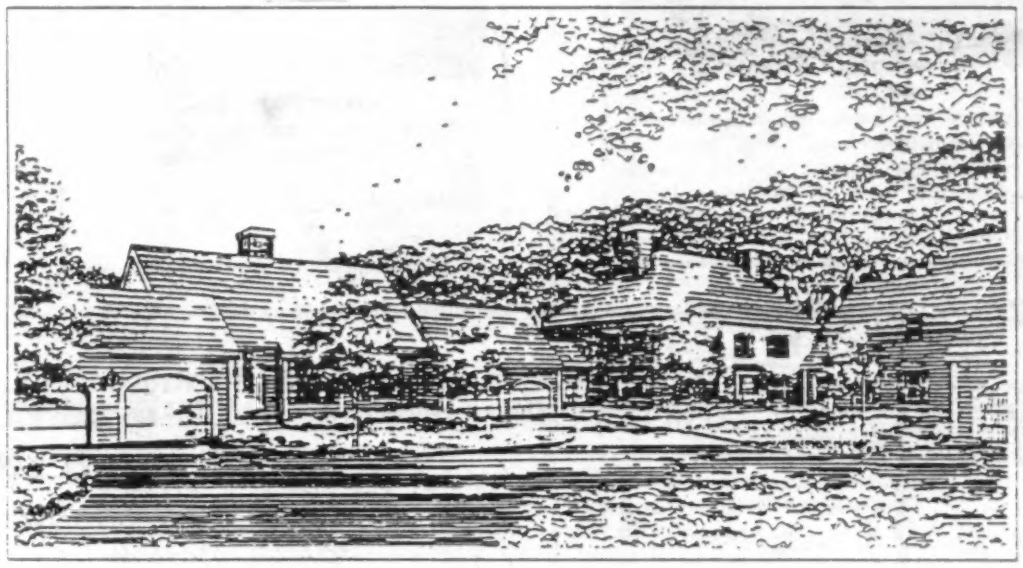

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# School Committee Criticizes Superintendent

By Frank Messina

Andover school committee members publicly chastised Superintendent Ken Seifert Tuesday night for his role in the recent controversy surrounding a town-sponsored teen drug and alcohol survey.

Seifert was criticized for "running an end around" committee authority by not keeping the committee informed about the survey, which involved several Andover High staff members and for planning a school system-wide meeting in reaction to the report without clearing it with the committee. The committee subsequently scuttled the meeting by a 4-0 vote, with committee member Richard Neal absent.

What particularly concerned committee members, especially David Birnbach, was the committee's exclusion from all stages of the survey's development, up to and including the report's presentation to the Board of Selectmen Nov. 9.

"A fairly important issue got out into the community without us being informed of it," said Committee Member Donald Robb. "It escaped us."

Birnbach angrily called on the supervisor to explain why the school committee wasn't notified that the survey was being given to the selectmen while, simultaneously, the committee was in town hall involved in a work session.

According to Birnbach, Seifert who spoke before the selectmen concerning the report, left just before the start of the work session, saying only that he was leaving to make a presentation before the board.

The committee member suggested the omission was not a mistake, telling Seifert that he was "too smart" to make that type of error .

"The big question here, is who directed who?" Birnbach asked.

"I strongly resent that innuendo," Siefert replied.

"I strongly resent as a leader in this community that I have to read about it (the survey) in the paper," Birnbach shot back.

Robb and Committee Chairwoman Susan Poore also hit the report for being "non-scientific" and expressed concern that the issue of teen dr- come a football" that has been passed to the school.

Responsibility for dealing with the problem has to be shared by the town and community, they emphasized.

Poore expressed concern that Seifert, although well-intended, was "trying to carry the ball all by himself," she said after the meeting.

In a separate interview, Seifert commented afterwards that "the method that was used (to schedule the proposed school meeting) was inappropriate and early on (during the meeting) I apologized to the school committee very sincerely.

"There are are times as supervisor when you take the risks and take a lot of heat for it."

## *Sen. McGovern To Hold Office Hours*

State Sen. Patricia McGovern will hold December office hours in Andover on Monday, Dec. 14. The senator, or a member of her staff, will be at the Andover Senior Center from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. and at Memorial Hall Library from 6 p.m. to 8 p.m. No appointment is necessary.

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